

Home Town Stuff

By the latter part of next week it will be possible to begin running concrete on the highway between Harrold and Electra. J. P. Foly, contractor on the city paving, has the contract for Harrold-Electra pavement and he will move his crew and machinery to that job just as soon as the city job is completed.

"What we need now is some cross-street paving to connect up our paved streets," said J. P. King in discussing the street improvements now under way. Projects which would give Vernon a wonderful system of connected paved streets as suggested by Mr. King includes the block between Cumberland and Main on Olive, a loop that would connect Texas, Wilbarger and Paradise streets in West Vernon, a loop on Mesquite from Texas to Wilbarger and an extension of Cumberland street south with a cross-street loop to connect with South Main.

Another citizen in discussing the paving program suggested that an extension of West Texas street to the Fair park with a loop connecting up with the paved highway west of the city limits would be one of the best improvements that could be made.

"I certainly agree with the suggestion in the Home Town column of The Record the other day, calling attention to the flagrant violations of the law requiring automobiles and trucks to display lights after dark," declared L. G. Hawkins. Mr. Hawkins lives on Wilbarger street which is the most traveled street in the city and he declares that he can sit on his front porch at night and count large numbers of cars passing his home with only one headlight, many without tail lights and still others without lights of any kind. "Cars and trucks that do not have the required number of lights or that have glaring headlights are a menace to life on our highways and I believe our traffic officers ought to be especially on the look-out for this kind of violators. They are worse than speeders," Mr. Hawkins said.

Cotton is looking fine and will need but little more rain, according to Lon Byars, prominent farmer and landowner. Only in isolated cases is cotton needing any moisture and much of it will make without any further rain. Some farmers have become apprehensive because cotton wilts during the day, but Mr. Byars says this is helpful because it checks growth of the stalk and helps to fill out the bolls. Cotton in this county has plenty of stalk now and will do better if it has only enough moisture to mature the fruit.

Work is proceeding rapidly on the construction of the high line of the Vernon Electric and Ice Company that will supply electricity to Harrold and Oklaunion. The poles are up for more than two-thirds of the distance and it is stated that the entire line of poles will be completed to Harrold by the end of this week or the first of next week. This is the first high line project to be launched from Vernon, and is but the beginning of a building program that will make Vernon a power center for this section of the country, according to officials of the company.

"I'll tell the world that there are still a lot of automobiles and trucks running in Vernon with cut-outs open," said Dr. R. W. Hix, whose home is located on Wilbarger at the corner of Deaf Smith, where the traffic is always heavy. Some improvement has been apparent since the anti-muffler law went into effect, Dr. Hix says, but declared there is still opportunity for the traffic officers to do some arresting of car owners who have not complied with the anti-muffler law.

"Colorado Springs is a fine place to loaf and spend money for a few days," Mayor Harry Mason said on his return from a short stay in that city. But the Mayor declares he wouldn't like to make his home in Colorado. He rather likes the open country, even with its hot winds and sandstorms, and says he wouldn't trade Vernon for any place he ever visited.

Provision is being made in the new paving of the business district for the extension of the white way system. New ornamental light posts to match those on Main and Cumberland will be put at the intersections of Fannin and Pease, Olive and Cumberland and Pease and Mesquite.

W. H. Stroud, well known farmer of the Odell country, says cotton in his section is looking good, but that it does not seem to be as good as it was at this time last year. Mr. Stroud's crop was badly damaged by hail last year during picking season. For this reason Mr. Stroud's crop was cut short last year.

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Frieds, per pound20c
Eggs, per dozen30c
Butter, per pound40c
Butter Fat, per pound35c
Turkeys, per pound10c

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DEATH COMES TO A. M. HIATT IN AMARILLO

Citizen of Vernon Since 1888 Dies at Home of Daughter This Morning—Body to Arrive Over Denver Late Tonight.

A. M. Hiatt, 65, influential and respected citizen of Vernon, died this morning at 7:45 at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Clyde Smith, in Amarillo, where he had gone for the benefit of his health.

The body accompanied by the family will arrive over the Denver at midnight tonight. Funeral arrangements have not been made pending a message from his sister in New York City.

Mr. Hiatt had been a resident of Vernon since 1888, coming here from Waxahatchie. He was a native of Kentucky but left that state in early boyhood and has made his home continually since that time in Texas.

In 1889 he was appointed district and county clerk of Wilbarger and in 1892 elected to the office of city secretary which office he held four years. In 1898, he embarked in the insurance and abstract business with the present county auditor, Judge E. L. McHugh. Later J. E. Lutz was admitted to the firm and in a few months the business was sold to Mr. Lutz. At the time of his death he was a stockholder in the Wilbarger County Abstract Company. He is an extensive land owner, owning farms in different parts of the county.

Ever a fearless fighter for issues he thought was right, he was respected and admired by his opponents against whom he took sides in county and city affairs. He had a host of friends who regret to learn of his passing.

In 1893 he was married to Miss Maggie Hazlewood of this city and who survives him. To this union, one son and five daughters were born. They are A. M. Hiatt, Jr., Mrs. Howard Lisman, Mrs. Clyde Smith of Amarillo, Mrs. Eugene Berry of Wichita Falls and Misses Birdie and Margaret Sue, who reside with their parents. A. M. Jr., and Mrs. Lisman left last night for Amarillo, when notified that the end was near. All the children and the widow are in Amarillo. Mrs. Hiatt and Misses Birdie and Margaret Sue had accompanied him there, hoping that his health might be benefited by the change and a long automobile trip had been planned. Nearly four months ago, Mr. Hiatt was stricken in his office with a heart attack and for several weeks, it was thought he could not recover. The week before his departure for Amarillo, he was able to be down town and held a reception, seated in his accustomed place, with many friends, who dropped in to see him. About ten days ago, he left for Amarillo and it was thought he was recovering until messages received here yesterday dispelled what hopes were held by his friends.

Wilbarger County Fair Catalogue to Be Ready Soon

Work on the Wilbarger County Fair catalogue is progressing rapidly, and the catalogue will be ready for distribution about Wednesday, according to R. H. Coffee, manager. Present indications are that September 16-19 will be days to go down in the history of Vernon. Mr. Coffee states,

All of the copy for the catalogue will be in tomorrow, and printing will be rushed. The booklet this year will contain about sixty pages.

Both Coach Baggett and Coach Wilmonen have been attending a school for coaches at the University of Michigan this summer.



ILL-FATED MACKINAC, WHOSE BOILER EXPLOSION OFF SAWTOCKET, R.I. COST FIFTY LIVES AND MAY CLAIM A TOTAL OF ONE HUNDRED. INSERTS ARE ED GILMARTIN, WATCHMAN & HERBERT SPENARD, WHOSE RADIO FLASHED REPEATED S.O.S.

ORGANIZATIONS BEHIND SCOUTS

URGE LARGE ATTENDANCE AT MEETING FRIDAY NIGHT AT METHODIST CHURCH.

Vernon civic organization are indicating their intention of fostering the Boy Scouts in the future, and are making efforts to secure a large attendance at the "Fathers and Mothers' night," which is to be held in the basement of the Methodist church to night.

American Legion officials have announced the intention of conferring a medal upon the Boy Scout with the best record for the year. The local Legion post will assist in any way possible in perfecting the Scout organization, as are other posts over the county.

At a meeting of the Lions Club this morning it was voted to extend an invitation to the Boy Scouts to attend one of the regular luncheons of the Club at some date convenient to the Scouts.

A number of members of the Federation of Women's Clubs have announced their intention of bringing the matter before the next meeting of the clubs, and they express confidence that action will be taken immediately.

The local Scout organization extends well over the county. Eighty boys in the city belong, and thirty others are enrolled in various parts of the county.

Club Girls Meet to Can For Fair at Library Thursday

Members of the girls' clubs of the county met at the library Thursday for an all day canning under the supervision of Miss Emma Gunter, home demonstration agent. Vegetables and relishes in glass are now in readiness for their booth at the county fair to be held here September 16 to 19. Fancy needlework is being finished up now by women in both city and rural communities for the textile department and other displays are being prepared for the annual event. Though it seems a little late to get things in readiness, it is pointed out that the last few weeks are the busy ones of each year for those who have displays at the fair; so all are assured that the displays will be up to their usual standard of excellence.

Girls here for the canning experiments were Thelma Merly and Cecil Koontz, of East Vernon; Thelma Lawson of Rayland and Mary Baldwin and Mabel Hodges of Wells Valley.

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NEGRO BOY LOSES LEG IN PLOW ACCIDENT THURSDAY

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ELLIOTT HOST TO BAPTISTS

WILBARGER-FOARD ASSOCIATION MEETS IN THREE-DAY ANNUAL SESSION.

Wilbarger-Foard Baptist Association meeting in annual session, closing a three-day program yesterday afternoon at Elliott, where Bethel Baptist church of that place was host.

Dr. E. F. Lyon, pastor of Vernon First Baptist church, was elected moderator; Rev. Frank McNair pastor of First Baptist church of Lockett is clerk and R. M. Fleider of Vernon, treasurer.

Representatives of fourteen churches were present and the attendance was the largest in the history of the association.

Rev. A. Vaughn of Odell preached the opening sermon, Tuesday night, and Dr. Lyon preached the missionary sermon, Wednesday morning at 11 o'clock. The program was full of interesting discussions and the report of the financial committee showed the association free from indebtedness which was a source of congratulation, members say.

Rev. C. Ross Payne was re-elected missionary for the district which includes Wilbarger and Foard counties.

The Woman's Missionary Union had charge Wednesday afternoon, and the program was very interesting. Mrs. C. Ross Payne was elected president, Mrs. H. E. Underwood, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. Roscoe Rainwater, Oklaunion, recording secretary; Mrs. G. H. Beavers, Fargo, Wood People's Leader; Mrs. B. C. Wood, Vernon, benevolent chairman; Mrs. Self, Crowell, White Cross chairman; Mrs. J. N. Wright, Vernon, Mission study chairman, and Mrs. R. E. Swin, Vernon, Personal Service chairman.

Dinner was served at the church at the noon hour each day.

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HALF INCH RAIN HERE THURSDAY

SHOWERS COVER COUNTY—HEAVIER IN SOUTHEAST—LIGHT IN NORTH.

Nearly half an inch of rain fell in Vernon late yesterday afternoon, and practically all parts of the county received more or less rainfall. In the southern part of the county where it was most needed, the rainfall was heaviest.

Fargo and Doans received light showers, as did the western portion of the county. The shower was unusually hard at times, and the streets of Vernon were covered with water for a short time.

Yesterday's shower practically assures Vernon and Wilbarger county of a large cotton crop, in the opinion of County Agent P. D. Chaney. Yesterday's rain came at an ideal time, and will be a wonderful aid to the cotton, following the heavy rains of a few weeks ago, he states.

Yesterday's rain brought the total for the month to near seven inches, the best record for the month of August that has been made in several years.

Wichita Falls Men Figure in Accident on East Wilbarger

Three men from Wichita Falls were injured in a car collision on East Wilbarger Street Tuesday afternoon. The men were injured when the car in which they were riding with L. G. Long of Childers struck a coupe near Harris' Camp ground. Clay F. Wilson of Wichita Falls was more seriously injured than the others, sustaining a broken arm and a broken leg. E. T. Westmoreland and J. F. Joyce of Wichita received minor bruises. Mr. Long who was driving, was not injured, neither was the driver of the coupe.

The cars are said to have collided because of a confusion of signals as one of the cars started to turn. In the confusion the two cars swerved the same way.

Mr. Wilson is still in a local sanitarium. The others left for Wichita Falls Wednesday morning.

PAVING TO BE ADDED ON ROAD NORTH OF ELECTRA

By action of city commission of Electra Monday, a mile and three-tenths of hard surfaced road to the end of the road leading north from Electra to Red River is to be added. The new road will run to the Oklahoma State line as determined by the recent United States survey and will be within 200 yards of Red River.

FOOTBALL FILM MAY BE SHOWN SQUAD IN VERNON

The talk of football fans here indicates that effort will be made to have a showing here of field tactics and fundamental football principles in a slow motion, two reel movie film, made under the direction of Knute Rockne, Notre Dame University coach. The film was made early in the year in Southern California and is now ready for distribution by the visual instruction division of the extension bureau of the University of Texas.

BAXLEY GIVEN EIGHT YEARS PEN SENTENCE

Prisoner Refuses To Talk During Trial—Bryant Case To Be Brought Before District Court Here Next Monday Morning.

John Baxley was convicted Wednesday in district court on a charge of robbery and assault in connection with the robbery of Ike Pippin, in which the latter was robbed and injured, dying a day later. Baxley was sentenced to eight years in the state penitentiary, and the sentence was added to the three years suspended sentence which he was under at the time the crime was committed.

Baxley refused to utter a word during the trial, and acted peculiar in other ways. Some thought that he appeared insane, and a verdict of insanity was talked of. The prisoner refused to speak to his own attorneys. In an effort to startle the boy into speech, District Attorney John A. Storey suddenly produced a revolver and fired it in the court room. The ruse was unsuccessful, as the expression on Baxley's face hardly changed.

After he was returned to the jail, Baxley talked freely to the other prisoners, and it is said, laughed and joked about his light sentence.

The robbery for which Baxley was convicted occurred in the waiting room of the Fort Worth and Denver depot about 10 o'clock on the night of July 26. According to Pippin's statement, a youth approached him asking for change for a quarter, and attempted to grab his purse while he was making the change. A scuffle ensued, and Pippin was injured by striking a bench. He died the following day.

Set for trial in district court Monday is the case of the State vs. Dave Bryant, in which Bryant is charged with murder in connection with the killing of Harry A. K. Hagen. A special venire of 108 men has been called for this case.

Hagen was shot to death here on January 22. He and Bryant are alleged to have quarreled over a grocery account.

Grading Starts on Road Wednesday Near Oklaunion

Grading was started Wednesday on the Colorado to Gulf Highway between Oklaunion and Harrold by R. B. Shrop, contractor, County Engineer John B. Nabers announced yesterday. Traffic is forced to detour about two miles already.

Grading of the road is in compliance with a contract recently let by the State Highway Commission. The highway commission is to bear half of the expenses and Wilbarger County the remainder.

Lee Highway north from Oklaunion is to be graded to the toll bridge spanning Red River which is now being constructed by Messrs. J. L. and J. A. Staley. About one-third of the bridge has been constructed to date, Mr. Nabers states.

HIGH GRADUATES HAVING CREDITS CHECKED HERE

A number of last year's graduates of Vernon High have already had their credits checked in preparation to entering some institution of higher learning this fall. W. T. Lofland, city superintendent of schools, announced. Others who are contemplating entering college this fall should get a statement of their work here immediately. Mr. Lofland states, as the local school officials will not have time to do this after the opening of school, and students trying to enter college without the statement will encounter considerable difficulty.

WESTERN UNION ADDS NEW EQUIPMENT

New equipment is being installed in the local office of Western Union Telegraph company, the chief features of which are a new and larger switchboard, and a time stamp. During the past summer the business through the local office has been above the average and has caused the new equipment to be installed, according to M. L. Bonner, local manager.

Pays \$50,000



MISCHA ELMAN

Mischa Elman, American violinist, paid \$50,000 for a Stradivarius in Paris. The violin, said to be one of the world's best, was manufactured in 1717.

REPORT COTTON OPENING HERE

C. L. CLARK EXPECTS TO BEGIN PICKING IN TEN DAYS—GINS TUNING UP.

C. L. Clark, farmer located in the forks of the river about six miles northeast of Vernon, is the first to report cotton opening. He has one tract of cotton that has two and three bolls open to the stalk fairly general over the field. He states that he expects to begin picking in about ten days.

Wilbarger county appears to have later crops than the surrounding counties, as Wichita, and Baylor counties have reported their first bales as has Tillman County, Okla. Present indications are that it will be the middle of September before picking swings into action over the county.

A Record representative, after a survey of the county, states that cotton is unusually good in all sections, and that all appearances of the long drought have disappeared. Practically all estimates are now running in the neighborhood of last year's crop.

Workmen have been employed to tune up the gins of Vernon. Ties and bagging are being stacked on the gin lots. Adjustments are being made and new equipment added. Gins everywhere are taking on a business-like atmosphere.

Farmers Gin To Add \$7000 Worth of New Equipment

New equipment costing approximately \$7,000 is being added to the Farmers Gin of Vernon. Frazier Bell, manager, announced this morning. The new equipment is on the ground, and workmen have dismantled the gin for installing the new equipment.

The gin will be faster after the installation of the equipment, Mr. Bell states. Burr extractors, new feeders, new parts for some of the stands, new fans, are included in the new equipment.

ELLIOTT BAND GOES TO CRATERTVILLE WEDNESDAY

A number of Vernon musicians accompanied the Elliott Band to Craterville Park Wednesday, where the musical organization will furnish music for the Indian Fair, which opened there yesterday and continues through tomorrow. H. L. Perdue accompanied the band as instructor.

SEVERAL WELLS STRIKE PAY IN LOCAL FIELDS

Winnipeg, Atlantic-Roxana, and Milham Have Good Showings at Depth Levels That Promise to Extend Producing Territory of County.

Barkley-Meadows No. 1-A Stephens encountered a good showing in a sandy lime from 2385-2400 feet, and bids fair to make the deepest producer in the South Vernon pool. When tubing was run recently to test out, the well flowed at the rate of 200 barrels a day. The tubing was pulled and a larger pipe run. The well is expected to be officially completed within the week. The hole offsets the old Prince-Brothers hole to the north.

Barkley-Meadows No. 3-B Stephens, section 83, block 14, was completed during the early part of the week for a flowing production of 160 barrels a day. It is producing from a sand at 2305-2330 feet, with the rich pay beginning at 2315. The company has started No. 1-B, a former producer from the 1800-foot horizon, to test the 2300-foot level.

Winnipeg Oil company's No. 4 Bond-Hawkins-Williams was completed for a 25-barrel production during the early part of the week from a sand at 1280-1295 feet in section 100, block 14.

Roxana Petroleum company and Atlantic Oil Producing company have an oil sand at a depth of 1315-1317 feet in No. 1 Waggoner in section 50, block 14. The well is expected to make a small producer. If completed, it will add a short extension to the south on the Gulf pool.

Atlantic is still running casing in No. 5 Zipperle, which has been on the sand at 2360-2365 feet for some time in section 80, block 14.

The Milham corporation of Texas has a good showing in a good-looking sand showing oil at 2440 to 2448, and will set casing to test in section 31, block 4, Waggoner lands. If made a producer, this well will add a large extension to the local fields.

Thelma Wells was last reported at 2300 feet in her wildcat on section 15, block 2, after getting a strong flow of water that filled the hole at 2260 feet.

The Roxana Petroleum company's No. 1 Waggoner, section 50, block 14, south of the Gulf producers, is looking for a sand at 1290 feet after passing up a show of oil and gas at 1295 feet.

County Farmers Asked To Visit Experiment Farm

Farmers of Wilbarger county are asked to be the guests of the Experiment Station at Chillicothe and examine the crops of the station on September 1 and 2, according to information recently received here. Mr. Chaney requests any farmers interested to visit the station during the two days.

Farmers will meet at the Chillicothe station at 5 o'clock on the afternoon of September 1, and a part of the crop will be inspected. A chicken barbecue will be served at 7:30, followed by a short program. The remainder of the crops will be inspected the following day. Adjournment will take place near noon of the second day.

THIEF ENTERS McHUGH HOME MONDAY NIGHT

A thief entered the home of Judge E. L. McHugh on Tolar street Monday night and took a highly prized gold watch that was given Judge McHugh by his friends when he retired from the office of county judge. Some change was taken also.

Entrance was made through a window by removing the screen. The thief went through a pair of trousers hanging near the bed where Judge McHugh was asleep.

Return From Market.

Mrs. B. W. Williams, owner of the Murray Shop, and Mrs. Bess Osborn of the same store, returned this week from the Eastern markets where they bought goods for the fall and winter trade.

Former Resident.
Mrs. Lila Peyton of Mexia, resident of Vernon, thirty years ago, stopped off this week for a visit with her cousin, W. C. Alderman and family, en route home after spending the summer in Colorado.

Slave of Fashion On Way; Jones Here Tomorrow

"A Slave of Fashion" which opened at the Pictorium Theatre Monday and Tuesday, brings Norma Shearer to the screen in her second starring vehicle. Whoever made the choice for her did a wise thing for there has never been a more appealing nor yet a more scintillating role

than that of the heroine, Katherine Emerson. Opening in the conventional family atmosphere of a small village in Iowa, the scene quickly shifts to New York. With it is the contrast of a rich and fashionable world, a luxurious bachelor's apartment and the glitter and glamour that only the Fifth Avenue of New York can know. It's the story of a small town girl who masquerades as a rich bachelor's wife and is on the verge of exposure. How the bachelor "husband" acquiesces and then saves her from a embarrassing position makes the story quite and in-

teresting and entertaining one. Lew Cody plays the bachelor hero, it seems a pity that he has missed so many years of leading roles, for here is no leading man on the screen more convincing than he. William Haines is cast as the jinxed fad, Dick Wayne. Though his role is small it is very important and he proves in his scenes that he is an actor of real ability. Mary Carr needs no other praise than to say she plays the mother, for in such characterizations she is unequalled. Vivian Ogden is uproariously funny as the spinster aunt. James Corrigan, Miss du Pont

and Sidney Bracy all have small but important roles. Hobart Henley directed this production for Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer and the story which is the original by Samuel Shipman was adapted to the screen by Bess Meredith. The Pictorium announces as its next Buck Jones feature, "The Man Who Played Square" which will be here Saturday for one day only. With the increasing popularity of this series of William Fox productions written especially for this popular western star, a few more leaves of interest are added to his crown of screen prestige. Wanda Hawley plays the leading feminine role and Hank Mann offers a great comedy role. "Raffles," that delightful polished character so carefree with other person's valuables and made to live so vividly by its creator, E. W. Hornung, will be portrayed on the screen by House Peters in the name part of the Universal Jewel at the Pictorium today only. Miss Dupont has the leading feminine role, Othello prominently cast are Walter Long, Hedda Hopper, Freeman Wood, Winter Hall and Kate Lester. King Baggot directed.

Manville Brothers Show Crowded at Each Showing

Manville Brothers Comedians which are showing under the auspices of the police department seems to be a show that gets better the first night. Regular attendants announce that the show is better each night. Tonight is proclaimed as feature night, with "Little Miss Lightfingers" scheduled as the main play. Toby and his country rube roles please the crowds more than the usual character of this sort. His imitation of the boy from the backwoods seems more natural than usual. The Bear Cats, Manville Brothers' musical organization, is winning considerable applause now. Young people have a tendency to take seats as near the orchestra as possible. Money to loan on city property, monthly payments, \$12.50 per one thousand. Pay your loan off at any time or any part of it at no penalty. See me about it. C. S. McCulloch, Old Mac. 68-4c

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"Night Life Of New York" Here Monday for 2 Days

"Night Life of New York" Allan Dwan's latest production for Paramount will be shown here at the Vernon theatre, two days, Monday and Tuesday of next week. The play as the name implies is a story of night life in Gotham and is an elaborate production full of thrills. Ernest Torrence, Rod La Rocque, Dorothy Gish and George Hackathorne have the leading roles which is quite an aggregation of stars in the screen firmament. La Rocque is featured as the young spendthrift who wants a fling at Broadway. Dorothy Gish has the part of a demure little telephone girl and of course the spender gets into all sorts of trouble with adventuresses, smashed taxi-cabs and a robbery in which the hero is accused of stealing the jewels. Ernest Torrence has the part of the father, who hates New York but resolves to give his boy his fling.

Those who have not already seen "The Mysterious Stranger" at the Vernon theatre will do well to make sure they view the performance Friday and Saturday, for it is the last which will be given in Vernon, and incidentally the picture is the best in which Dick Talmadge has ever appeared. The story, adapted by James Bell Smith, contains some of the material of Dr. Samuel Johnson's "History of Rasselas" and it proves sensational picture matter, albeit the worthy dictator of English letters more than a century ago is not generally considered as a writer for the movies. Imaginative, logical, colorful and "punchy" in the extreme, "The Mysterious Stranger" provides Daring Dick with more thrills than even he is used to conveying to the public. The picture is a scream of laughter and a riot of thrills; while real pathos has been infused into the production to an unusual degree. Jack Nelson directed the picture and has done a thoroughly workmanlike job.

Jarrell Buchanan, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Buchanan was operated in for appendicitis at a local hospital yesterday. His condition is reported favorable.

Record classified ads bring results.

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Vernon Theater

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Richard Talmadge in
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Night Life of New York
Ernest Torrence, Dorothy Gish, and other Paramount Stars.

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See or write me if you are interested in a piano. Easiest of terms.
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Flies or mosquitoes trouble you or your stock.
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NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC
Any erroneous reflection upon the reputation or standing of any individual, firm or corporation, that may appear in the columns of The Record, will be gladly corrected when called to the attention of the editor.

MORE PAVING NEEDED.

Vernon is rapidly coming to be a well-paved city. The work which is now nearing completion will mean a big improvement, but there is considerable paving needed to round out the present system. Except in the business district the paving is not connected. What is needed are some streets that will connect up the paved streets outside of the downtown section.

There ought to be cross-street paved in West Vernon to connect Wilbarger, Paradise and Texas. North Cumberland ought to be connected up with Main, and, if possible, extended to Fannin with an extension to the north of the Fannin Street pavement.

The residents of South Cumberland are anxious for pavement and if this could be done with a loop connection with South Main it would be a great convenience. Additional paving is needed in East Vernon, and some means ought to be found to extend the Texas Street paving, to the Fair park with a loop connecting with the Colorado-Gulf highway in Hillcrest Road addition.

Traffic has grown to such an extent that the present paved streets are too badly congested for safety. The extension of the pavement on Fannin and Cumberland will not afford much relief for traffic in the business district because of lack of loop connections. Main will continue to carry most of the downtown traffic, and the completion of the pavement on South Main will have the effect of concentrating all South Vernon traffic on this street, just as East Wilbarger now carries all East Vernon traffic.

Of course, it takes a lot of money to do paving, but 15 or 20 blocks of additional paving would not cost such a prohibitive sum and would place Vernon in position to care for her traffic problems better than the average small city. This sort of a program would be a splendid one to plan for accomplishment during the next twelve months.

BOLSHEVISM IN ACTION.

A coal strike is threatened in this country. President Coolidge has given the country to understand that he will not use the influence of the Government to effect a settlement. Only recently a coal strike in Great Britain was averted through the intervention of the overnment in the form of a promise to pay out of the public treasury—tax money—the difference between the wages offered by the operators and the scale demanded by the miners.

The expedient adopted by the British Government to avert the threatened strike sought to pay the

extra cost of mining coal through levies on general taxpayers. This is worse than the industrial program of the British Socialist party, because it imposes a financial responsibility on the Government without giving the Government a voice in the management of the industry. British Socialism proposes Government ownership and operation of the mines. The settlement effected goes further, even approaching Bolshevism.

There is a theory that poverty can be alleviated by the simple expedient of appropriating tax money. The British settlement will make the increase in miners' wages more burdensome on the coal consumers than an increase in the price of coal. The same people will pay in either event. The only difference is that the cost will be greater by the tax route.

A great many people believe that poverty can be eliminated by appropriating tax money. The British have been experimenting with unemployment pensions. A lot of American people want to see the same thing tried in this country. When things go wrong we want the Government to save us. The only safe basis for an industry to operate is to let those who use its product of its service pay the bill. Covering up the cost in taxes is a poor expedient and sooner or later the nation that attempts it will come to grief. The British are a very conservative people, we are told, but since the war they have been making some unusual compromises with Bolshevism.

DOANS NEWS.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Smith and baby of Farwell, visited Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Moore last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Wilson and children returned from Stanton Tuesday, where they went for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Armstrong went to Oklahoma Sunday and spent the day looking over the country.

Gerald Stroud visited in the Moore home Saturday night.

Bernard Harrell was very sick

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Back on the job, full of "Wim" "Wigor" and Witallity.
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Insurance of all kinds "That Old Good Kind"

City loans and only \$12.50 per thousand, get your money while you wait (about 30 days).

Keep this in mind, we put our 18 years experience behind every policy we write and do our best to give the service that you are entitled to. What more do you want? See me and it shall be done. Yours with the goods.

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Waggoner Bank Bldg. **C. S. McColloch**
(Old Mc)

Thursday night, but is much better at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Owen and son, Stanley, of Wichita Falls, visited his brothers' Bob and Roy, last week.

Several from here are attending the Church of Christ meeting at Fargo this week.

Miss Ida Mae Smith of Farwell spent the week-end with Miss Edna Moore.

Miss Irene Jordan of Rayland was a guest Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Edd Armstrong.

Horne Young of Rayland was in Doans Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Shep Martin of Chillicothe spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Adair.

Mrs. McClendon entertained with a party Monday night.

Mrs. L. C. Moore and children left Sunday for Childress, where she will visit her parents.

Mrs. H. C. Brisco and boys of Quanah visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Wilson over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wilson of Odell spent Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. Tom Adair and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Igon and children of Electra have returned to their home after a visit with C. F. Doan.

J. J. Armstrong was a Vernon visitor Saturday.

Tom Adair and Neal Slappey went to Vernon Tuesday.

Miss Irene Jordan came Wednesday to spend the week-end with her aunt, Mrs. Edd Armstrong.

Record classified ads bring results.



There's power in PEP, the peppy cereal with the fascinating flavor! Ready to eat. You'll want more—and more. Every spoonful will help build strong, robust bodies. Your grocer has PEP.

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the peppy bran food

Card Of Thanks

It is with grateful hearts we take this method of extending our sincere thanks to the kind friends and neighbors, who comforted us during the death and burial of our beloved father, B. C. Smith. Especially do we thank the Odd Fellows for their kindness to their dead brother's family and the beautiful floral offering. May God bless you one and all, who contributed in any way to lighten our burden of sorrow.

Gratefully Yours,
A. E. SMITH,
MRS. ELLA MILLER,
BEN SMITH,
JOHN SMITH,
JULIUS SMITH,
MRS. ETTA BROCK,
MRS. MATTIE TOLSON.

Attend Baptist Association.

Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Wheeler and daughter, Miss Theda Wheeler, A. B. Hughes, Lee Hendricks and A. Bankston went to Floydada Thursday to attend the Primitive Baptist Association. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. T. J. McDaniel of Bellvue and S. M. Meek of Hendrietta.

Returns To Vernon.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Wilson have returned to Vernon after spending several months in Roswell, N. M. Mr. Wilson has accepted a position again with the B. & W. Drug Store.

Mrs. Cam Evans and three sons, Herman, Eugene and Floyd, of Southland are visiting her brother, E. A. Vernon and family.

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Have successfully treated over four hundred cases of blind, bleeding and protruding piles by the absorption method.

No detention from business—No advance fee required. You pay when cured and no pay unless cured—No charge for consultation or examination.

COMING TO VERNON

Beginning September 1st I will be in VERNON AT BAILEY HOTEL

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Call and see me and let us talk over the treatment of your case.

M. A. COOPER, M. D.

Rectal Specialist of Childress, Texas

Note—Many cases of constipation, stomach trouble, rheumatism and nervous conditions are due to piles.

Miss Vera Smith returned to her home at Frederick Wednesday after visiting in the home of D. C. Smith and family. Mr. Smith and daughter, Bessie, and son, Kenneth, returned to Frederick with her.

Record Classified Ads Bring results

UPSTAIRS OVER DIXON'S—TELEPHONE 224.
California State Life Insurance Company
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**Huntin' Time Is Here**

Boy, it's here! The best shootin' season in years, and we've stocked up on everything you'll need for dove, quail, chicken, ducks and any other kind of "critter" that pops up its head. If you don't have the right gun come here. We have just the gun you will need and plenty of the right kind of ammunition.

Let us help you get ready for your hunt.

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HELPS THOSE WHO HELP THEMSELVES

Saturday will be our fourth anniversary. We will celebrate it by selling best grade of sugar for 5c per pound.

When we opened for business we sold \$5000.00 per month—now we are selling over \$5000.00 per week. We appreciate this and want to show our gratitude by selling groceries as cheap as they can be sold.

FOR SATURDAY

SUGAR 10 POUNDS For **50c**
Only one package to each family.

FLOUR AMERICAN BEAUTY, 48-Pound Sack **\$2.20**

BACON BEST GRADE SMOKED, Per Pound **28c**

CRACKERS SALTINE FLAKES Large Size **10c**

SARDINES GOOD GRADE, Per Can **5c**

SALAD DRESSING VAN CAMP'S, Large Size **14c**

IN OUR MARKET

FRIERS DRESSED, Per Pound **28c**

SAUSAGE PER POUND **25c**

CHUCK ROAST PER POUND **15c**

Its useless to pay more and risky to pay less than Piggly Wiggly prices—What would you be paying for groceries if there were no Piggly Wiggly here.

Every purchase from Piggly Wiggly Stores must give you complete satisfaction or your money will be cheerfully returned—without question

VALUES FROM THE BASEMENT

SMART NEW FALL FROCKS

Specially Priced
Values Up To \$15.00
Basement Special ... **\$10**

Smart because they have just been received from the style centers; made from the newer materials in all the more authentic shades for this Autumn.

Styled to suit your own individual taste and type. You are certain to find your Fall frocks in the extensive showing in the Basement Ready-To-Wear.

CHIC HATS FOR EARLY FALL at the Low Prices of \$1.95 \$2.95 \$3.95

Here too, you will find us leading. Our prices on all fall Hats are so attractively low we have had to wire orders to keep our stocks complete.

STONE-BLAKE & BAILEY

CHAIN STORES

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Vernon, Texas

Federal Highway to Run From Here Through Frederick

Announcement was made Wednesday by the Oklahoma State Highway Commission that the Lee Highway through Frederick and Davidson has been included in the United States federal aid highway system. With the designation of this stretch of highway as a federal route, the route is completed across the continent through Vernon, as the Lee Highway was formerly designated as a federal route with the exception of the stretch between Vernon and Ardmore, Okla.

Designation of the road between Ardmore and Vernon has been delayed for some time because of the controversy over the free bridge to span Red River near Burkburnett, but it has been announced now that the bridge will have no bearing on the federal route.

John R. White left yesterday for Dallas for medical treatment.

Delbert Smith and O. D. Fisher went to Boulder, Colorado, Thursday.

William Shivers expects to leave during the latter part of this week for an extended visit in Central Texas.

Kodak finishing will be cash in advance after September 15th. The Clifton Studio. 1tc

Mrs. J. A. Brady, who has been visiting her brother, J. A. Dixon, and family, left yesterday for her home at Hope, Ark.

Mrs. C. A. Southland and children, James and Lula, of Emory, are visiting C. B. Crouch and family, at Hinds.

Miss Carrie Adele Long of Fort Worth has arrived in Vernon Tuesday for a few days visit with Miss Katharyn Wheatley.

R. L. Pyle and family were guests of A. J. Norton and W. C. Howard Tuesday at Idleville. Mr. Norton's summer home, nine miles north of Quanah.

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Tillet S. Teddlie went to Eldorado this morning where he will conduct a revival in the Church of Christ at that place. He drove through in his automobile and was accompanied by his son, Pete.

Mr. and Mrs. Blake Lewis have returned from Dallas, where they were married last week. They are now at home at their residence, corner of Wichita and Pearl streets.

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Mrs. Will Currin, who has been seriously ill for several days, is reported to be slightly improved, though her condition yet remains critical.

A Live Wire!

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At the Churches

Presbyterian Church.
Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.
We will have the regular morning services at 11 o'clock, but no evening service until after September 1. We cordially invite all who will to worship with us.
E. L. MOORE, Pastor.

Central Christian Church.
J. M. PERRY, Pastor
9:45 Bible School—J. C. Smith, Superintendent.

11 o'clock morning worship.
Special chorus by choir.
8:15 Evening service:
Congregational song service.
Vocal solo: "When They Ring the Golden Bells" by J. M. Perry.
Sermon: "A Prominent Citizen Converted in Hell."

All members urged to attend both services and friends and visitors cordially invited. You will find a friendly church in a friendly sort of town.

St. Paul's Lutheran Church.
Sunday school at 9:15.
The Lord's Supper will be celebrated during the morning services. Confessional address at 10 o'clock by the pastor.

Sermon in the morning at 10:30 by Mr. Arthur Bruns, student of Theology from the Lutheran Seminary at Springfield, Ill.

Sermon in the evening at 8:15 by the pastor.

Theme: "God's Intentions When He Afflicts Us With Illness."
You are cordially invited to attend.

J. A. BIRNBAUM, Pastor.

B. Y. P. U. Program.
According to advance announcements, the program of the Baptist Young People's Union will be interesting next Sunday evening. The program as announced is as follows:

"Baptist in the lands of Buddha," by James Allen Hodges.

"Population in These Lands," Anna Mae Reeder.

"Religious But Lost," Maude Crawford.

"What These Religions Teach," Ruth Lyon.

"Growth of the Gospel," Ruth Thibben.

"Christ Will Yet Conquer Japan," Carol Clement.

Methodist Church.

Sunday school, 9:30 a. m., R. D. L. Killough, Superintendent.

Preaching at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.

Morning subject: "A Tired Christian and the Remedy."

Senior League, 7 p. m.

Prayer-meeting Wednesday 8 p. m.

Many are returning from their vacations, the weather is cooler; may every member be in his place Sunday, both for Sunday school and church. Visitors will receive a cordial welcome.

C. A. BICKLEY, Pastor.

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H. K. Greever went to Dallas yesterday on business.

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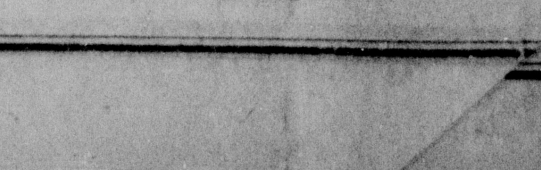
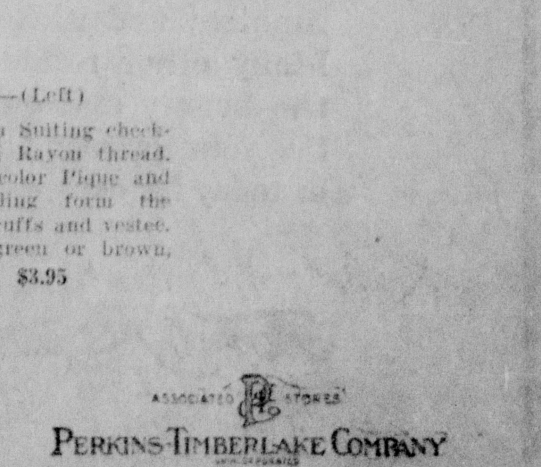
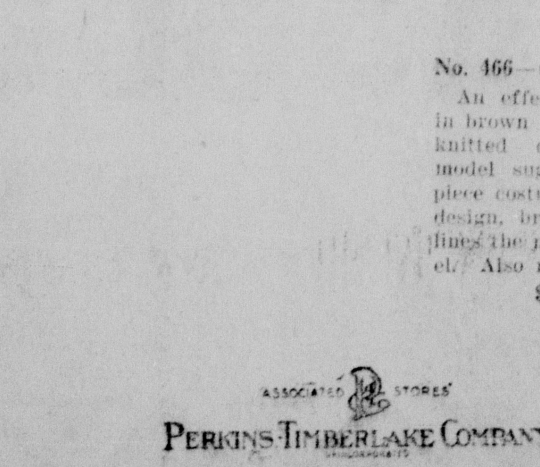
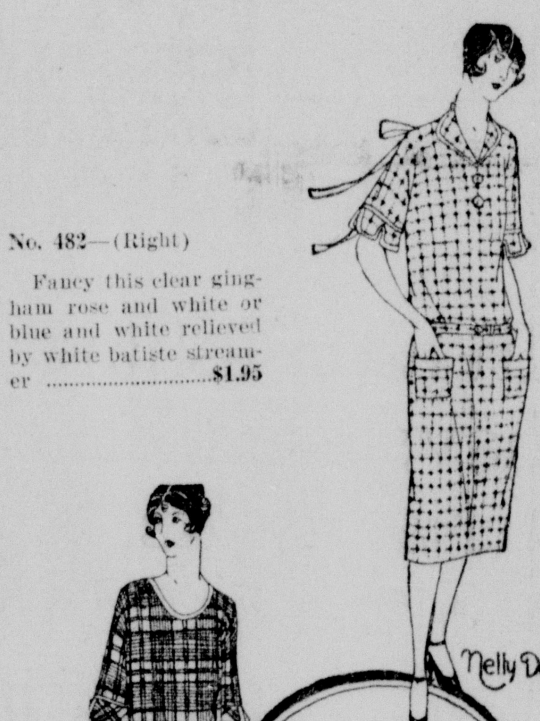
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The world of dress has yielded to the charm of all-wool Challis for street, home and informal wear. Nelly Don has embodied the high lights of the mode in the best quality all-wool Challis. We insist on your close attention to the fine tailoring and smart lines. It has no rivals in attractiveness, none in price.

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New prints and ginghams are here in an alluring array, hundreds of them. Yet every one has its distinctive mark, fluttering godets, kick pleats, handkerchief drapery, perky sash, and streamer tie. Nelly Don has never forgotten her first love—the pretty house frock.

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TRAMMEL GETS KNOCKOUT HERE

RABBIT NYE RETURNS TO RING AND LOSES TO JOR- DAN IN SECOND ROUND.

Fans saw a real knockout in the ring at the corner of Texas and Mesquite Tuesday night when Duke Trammel came back with his old one-two punch and knocked out Tutty McMullen at the beginning of the second round. Trammel sent his opponent down with a left hook to the stomach followed immediately by a right hook to the jaw. Trainers worked with McMullen some ten or fifteen minutes before he was revived.

McMullen was out-classed from

the start, and it was clear that he would do well to go the ten round route with Trammel.

Young Rich fought four rounds to a draw with Young Parker of Wichita Falls. Rich won the first round by a wide margin, but allowed his opponent to even up the fight in the later rounds by playing the ropes. Rich was much the clever fighter in the center of the ring, but seemed not to realize that Parker was beating him as long as he stayed near the ropes.

Rich has developed into a very clever little fighter, but has one outstanding weakness, his inability to stand up to a body attack.

Battling Nelson made a good showing Tuesday night and fought the Dixie Kid to a four round draw in a fast colored bout. Nelson showed up much better than he did in his last bout here.

Rabbit Nye, Vernon's old-time favorite, again appeared in the arena Tuesday night, and again went down before the terrific pounding of Bill

Jordan, of Rayland. Rabbit went out in the second round, when the fight was called by the referee. Rabbit has a tendency to keep fighting even after he is out on his feet. In the two fights that he has lost, he has hung on until the referee called the fight off.

FIELDER ASKS FOR WORK FOR FOOTBALL PLAYERS

A number of football players have visited the offices of the Chamber of Commerce recently who expect to play here next year, but must have work to pay their expenses. R. M. Fielder, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce states. None are considered except those whose parents or guardians have moved here, because of the new ruling, but efforts are being made to secure work for those who are eligible, and Mr. Fielder asks business men to let him know when they can use a boy.

Judge Green of Mule Shoe is here on business for a few days and visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Green.

Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Easterling and children of Memphis are here for a visit with her mother, Mrs. L. E. Robertson.

Dr. and Mrs. H. C. Caylor of Walla Walla, Washington, former residents, are here for a few days on business and visiting Mrs. T. E. Standifer and other friends.

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Ford Announces Improved Line of Body Types

Body changes and chassis refinements are more pronounced than any made since the adoption of the Model T chassis, were announced here today by the Ford Motor Company. There will be no advance in price, it also was stated. Production at the Dallas Branch will start September 1st, at which time all dealers will be supplied with the improved cars.

Outstanding features of the improvements in both open and closed types are lower, all-steel bodies on a lowered chassis, complete new design in most body types, a change from black to color in closed cars, larger, lower fenders, newly designed seats and larger, more powerful brakes.

Longer lines, effected through higher radiator and redesigned cowl and bodies are apparent in all the improved Ford cars, but are especially pronounced in the open types. Wide crown fenders hung close to the wheels contribute to the general effect of lowness and smartness.

While Runabout and Touring cars remain in black, the closed bodies are finished in harmonic color schemes, enhanced by nickel radiators. The Coupe and Tudor bodies are finished in deep channel green while the Fordor is rich Windsor Maroon.

Greater comfort is provided for driver and passengers in both open and closed cars by larger compartments, more deeply cushioned seats and greater leg room.

Many new conveniences are also incorporated in the improved cars. In the Runabout, Touring Car, Coupe and Tudor, the gasoline tank is under the cowl and filled through an inconspicuously located filler cap completely hidden from sight by a cover similar in appearance to a cowl ventilator. One-piece windshield and narrow pillars in the Tudor and Coupe offer the driver greatly increased visibility and improved ventilation.

Driving comfort is materially increased by lower seats, scientifically improved back rests, and lower steering wheel. Brake and clutch pedals are wider and more conveniently spaced.

Four doors are now provided on the Touring Car and two on the Runabout permitting the driver to take his place from the left side of the car. Curtains held secure by rods, open with the doors.

Most important in the mechanical changes are the improved brakes. The transmission brake drum and bands have been considerably increased in size which gives the foot brake softer and more positive action as well as longer life. The rear wheel brake drums are larger and the brake of self energizing type.

Cord tires are now standard equipment on all Ford cars.

E. A. Church and family are visiting on the plains this week. They expect to return early in next week.

E. F. Piper and Charley Alger are enjoying an outing at Medicine Park, Okla. They will return by the way of Craterville, where they will attend the Indian Fair, now in progress there.

SALESPEOPLE WANTED

Experienced salesman with several years experience in furnishings, clothing and shoes. Experienced saleswoman in dry goods, hosiery, ready-to-wear and notions. Give experience, reference and telephone or postoffice address. If you have worked only a short while or just in sales do not apply. Permanent positions with well established firm.

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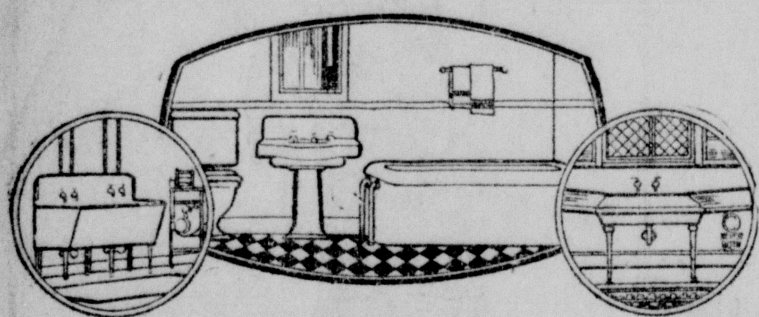
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WANTED—Experienced saleslady. Also girl to assist and put out work. Kramer Studio. 67-3tc
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WANTED—To rent on halves. Half section sandy land with two houses. M. O. Sparks, Route 2, Tolbert. 67-6tp

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FOR RENT—Home with all modern conveniences on West Wilbarger. Call 307. 2720 West Wilbarger. 66-3tc

FOR RENT—One cool comfortable front bedroom. Phone 489-W. 2409 Texas Street. 66-3tc

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FOR RENT—One two room apartment. Phone 788. 66-3tc

FOR RENT MONDAY—To adults only. Modern furnished apartment. Telephone 9001. 1tc

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished apartment at 2227 Paradise Street. Phone 233. 68-2tc

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FOR RENT—Light housekeeping rooms at 1128 East Pease street. 68-3tp

FOR RENT—Light housekeeping rooms across the road from the end of Bacon street. Mrs. F. P. McGhee. 68-3tc

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms. Inquire at W. & W. Filling Station. 818 North Main or Phone 745. 1tc

FURNISHED ROOM for rent. Two blocks east of Bailey Hotel. 1428 Pease street. Phone 199. 1tc

FOR RENT—Three room furnished apartment. All modern conveniences. Miss Violet Wilson. Phone 311. 1tp

FOR RENT—Front bedroom, close in. 1819 Bismark. Phone 536-J. 68-3tc

FOR RENT—One room furnished for light housekeeping to couple without children. 1302 Marshall street. Phone 608-J. 1tp

FOR RENT—Three nicely furnished bedrooms, 1604 Lamar Street. Phone 397-W. 67-3tc

FOR RENT—Five rooms with bath and garage, on paved street, close in. Phone 224 or see Mr. Smith, second floor Dixon Bldg. 67-2tc

FOR RENT—For six months or one year, furnished house, six rooms, bath, sleeping porch and two open porches. Suitable for rooming or boarding house. Two blocks from square. 1827 Bowie Street. Phone 271. 67-3tp

FOR RENT—To two working girls, front bedroom, private entrance to room and bath. See Mrs. Chas. Thompson at 1129 Wilbarger street. 67-3tp

FOR RENT—Three room unfurnished apartment at 2620 West Paradise street. Phone 600-J. 67-3tc

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FOR RENT—Furnished southeast room for light housekeeping. 1305 East Wilbarger Street. 67-3tp

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms in new house with modern conveniences. 1127 East Pease Street. Phone 811-W. 67-3tc

FOR RENT—One room furnished or unfurnished. 2104 Eastland street. Phone 553-W. Mrs. J. L. Jones. 67-3tc

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FOR SALE—A number 1 good milch cow. See John Crawford. 67-4tc
SEE H. D. THOMPSON, Dodge Brothers salesman, with McFall Brothers before you buy a car. 63-8tc
Record classified ads bring results.

Miss Ruth Stovall of Wichita Falls is visiting friends here this week.
H. F. Houtchins, Fort Worth attorney, was in Vernon on business during the early part of the week.
Mrs. E. H. Gipson returned yesterday from an extended tour which included stops at Niagara Falls and Canada.

E. R. Robinson of Marlin is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Robinson.
Mr. and Mrs. Barton Thornton spent Wednesday night here with his uncle, H. A. Hood and family, en route to their home at Lockney after an automobile trip to Galveston.
Record classified ads bring results.

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A number of students who expect to enter Vernon High School at the opening of this fall have applied to Superintendent W. T. Lofland for work out side of school hours in order that they may pay their expenses in school. Efforts will be made to secure work for the students. Mr. Lofland states, and he requests the business men of Vernon to assist him in placing the students.

"I feel that it is the duty to help these worthy students make their own way," says the superintendent.

South Plains People Here.

Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Timms and sons, Cecil and Aubrey, of Dozier, former residents of the east part of the county, are here for a visit with their daughter, Mrs. M. D. Morgan, of Vernon, and Mrs. P. B. Barrett, sister of Mrs. Timms at Hinds. Mrs. Timms is delighted with her new home on the south plains but says she still is in love with Wilbarger county. Crops are fine there now, she says, but are needing rain. Cotton is over waist high and heavily fruited.

Oklahoma Visitor to Preach.

Rev. and Mrs. A. J. F. Lockhart and son, J. H., of Abilene, will arrive this week for a visit with their daughter, Mrs. R. L. Freeman, of Oklahoma. Rev. Lockhart will practice at the Oklahoma Baptist church Wednesday night, September 2.

Back From Market.

J. A. Dixon, head of Dixon Dry Goods Company and Mrs. D. D. Jackson, manager of the ready-to-wear department of the store, returned this week from Eastern markets where they purchased fall and winter stocks. They were met at Wichita Falls by Mrs. Dixon and Miss Beryle, who accompanied them home.

Vernon Boys in Far West.

Communications have been received from Theron and Miles Staley and Wayne Greene. They are now in Vancouver, British Columbia, and expect to return home early in September. They left here August 10, traveling with camp equipment only. They have visited Yellowstone National Park and other places of interest.

Dr. B. D. Flaniken and family returned yesterday from a stay at Colorado Springs and Denver.

Mrs. Vera Mason and son, Noel, spent Sunday and Monday in Lubbock visiting friends.

RECENT BRIDE HONOREE AT RECEPTION AND SHOWER

Mrs. Richard Walker of Wichita Falls, recent bride, was honoree at a very pretty reception and shower at the home of Mrs. Innes McCrary, Wednesday afternoon, given by members of the Home Economic club, of which Mrs. Walker has been a valuable member.

In the receiving line were the hostess, the honoree and the bride's sister, Miss Robbie Castlebury, and at a side entrance Mrs. P. A. Denny received the gifts which were concealed until the opportune moment arrived for inspection.

Mrs. Roy Abbott led the way to the gift room, where the secret of the shower was being kept from the bride.

Miss Mildred Robertson and Miss Mattie Mae Renfro presided over the punch bowl artistically arranged in a bed of flower and fern.

A short program was enjoyed. Mrs. Robert T. Lutz gave a reading and responded to an encore. Miss Hazel Vaughn also gave a reading. Throughout the afternoon, music was furnished by the Edison. An ice course was served. After the reception, Mrs. Walker was escorted to the gift room where her many beautiful gifts were displayed.

The shower was a complete surprise to the honoree as she thought only a reception had been arranged in her honor.

Until her marriage a few days ago to Mr. Walker, she was Miss Lillie Castlebury of this city and they have just returned from a wedding trip to South Texas. They are spending the week here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Castlebury of Wilbarger street.

Former Pastor Here.

Rev. H. M. Long, of Fort Worth, former pastor of the First Methodist church here, accompanied by his daughter, Miss Carrie Adele Long, is here on business. Miss Long is visiting friends.

Miss Annie Stagner who has been visiting Miss Nell Hollar, returned to her home at Abilene yesterday.



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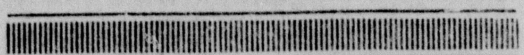
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PIERCE FAMILY RETURN FROM TOUR OF WEST

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Pierce and daughter, Miss Helen Williams, accompanied by Mrs. Hall Pierce of Dallas, returned this week from an extended automobile tour of the West, which included stops at Denver, Cheyenne, Yellowstone National Park and Salt Lake City and many interesting side trips. They returned by the way of Santa Fe. Equipped with a trailer, which carried all necessary camping supplies, hotel accommodations did not bother them. They report a wonderful time.

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Home Town Stuff

By the latter part of next week it will be possible to begin running concrete on the highway between Harold and Electra. J. P. Foy, contractor on the city paving, has the contract for Harold-Electra pavement and he will move his crew and machinery to that job just as soon as the city job is completed.

"What we need now is some cross-street paving to connect up our paved streets," said J. P. King in discussing the street improvements now under way. Projects which would give Vernon a wonderful system of connected paved streets as suggested by Mr. King includes the block between Cumberland and Main on Olive, a loop that would connect Texas, Wilbarger and Paradise streets in West Vernon, a loop on Mesquite from Texas to Wilbarger and an extension of Cumberland street south with a cross-street loop to connect with South Main.

Another citizen in discussing the paving program suggested that an extension of West Texas street to the Fair park with a loop connecting up with the paved highway west of the city limits would be one of the best improvements that could be made.

"I certainly agree with the suggestion in the Home Town column of The Record the other day, calling attention to the flagrant violations of the law requiring automobiles and trucks to display lights after dark," declared L. G. Hawkins. Mr. Hawkins lives on Wilbarger street which is the most traveled street in the city and he declares that he can sit on his front porch at night and count large numbers of cars passing his home with only one headlight, many without tail lights and still others without lights of any kind. "Cars and trucks that do not have the required number of lights or that have glaring headlights are a menace to life on our highways and I believe our traffic officers ought to be especially on the look-out for this kind of violators. They are worse than speeders," Mr. Hawkins said.

Cotton is looking fine and will need but little more rain, according to Lon Byars, prominent farmer and landowner. Only in isolated cases is cotton needing any moisture and much of it will make without any further rain. Some farmers have become apprehensive because cotton withers during the day, but Mr. Byars says this is helpful because it checks growth of the stalk and helps to fill out the bolls. Cotton in this county has plenty of stalk now and will do better if it has only enough moisture to mature the fruit.

Work is proceeding rapidly on the construction of the high line of the Vernon Electric and Ice Company that will supply electricity to Harold and Oklahoma. The poles are up for more than two-thirds of the distance and it is stated that the entire line of poles will be completed to Harold by the end of this week or the first of next week. This is the first high line project to be launched from Vernon, and is but the beginning of a building program that will make Vernon a power center for this section of the country, according to officials of the company.

"I'll tell the world that there are still a lot of automobiles and trucks running in Vernon with cut-outs open," said Dr. R. W. Hix, whose home is located on Wilbarger at the corner of Deaf Smith, where the traffic is always heavy. Some improvement has been apparent since the anti-muffler law went into effect, Dr. Hix says, but declared there is still opportunity for the traffic officers to do some arresting of car owners who have not complied with the anti-muffler law.

"Colorado Springs is a fine place to live and spend money for a few days," Mayor Harry Mason said on his return from a short stay in that city. But the Mayor declares he wouldn't like to make his home in Colorado. He rather likes the open country, even with its hot winds and sandstorms, and says he wouldn't trade Vernon for any other town he ever visited.

Provision is being made in the new paving of the business district for the extension of the white way system. New ornamental light posts to match those on Main and Cumberland will be put at the intersections of Franklin and Pease, Olive and Cumberland and Pease and Mesquite.

W. H. Stroud, well known farmer of the Odell country, says cotton in his section is looking good, but that it does not seem to be as good as it was at this time last year. Mr. Stroud's crop was badly damaged by hail last year during picking season. For this reason Mr. Stroud's crop was cut short last year.

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DEATH COMES TO A. M. HIATT IN AMARILLO

Citizen of Vernon Since 1888 Dies at Home of Daughter This Morning—Body to Arrive Over Denver Late Tonight.

A. M. Hiatt, 65, influential and respected citizen of Vernon, died this morning at 7:45 at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Clyde Smith, in Amarillo, where he had gone for the benefit of his health.

The body accompanied by the family will arrive over the Denver at midnight tonight. Funeral arrangements have not been made pending a message from his sister in New York City.

Mr. Hiatt had been a resident of Vernon since 1888, coming here from Waxahatchie. He was a native of Kentucky but left that state in early boyhood and has made his home continually since that time in Texas.

In 1889 he was appointed district and county clerk of Wilbarger and in 1892 elected to the office of city secretary which office he held four years. In 1898, he embarked in the insurance and abstract business with the present county auditor, Judge E. L. McHugh. Later J. E. Lutz was admitted to the firm and in a few months the business was sold to Mr. Lutz. At the time of his death he was a stockholder in the Wilbarger County Abstract Company. He is an extensive land owner, owning farms in different parts of the county.

Ever a fearless fighter for issues he thought was right, he was respected and admired by his opponents against whom he took sides in county and city affairs. He had a host of friends who regret to learn of his passing.

In 1893 he was married to Miss Maggie Hazlewood of this city and who survives him. To this union, one son and five daughters were born. They are A. M. Hiatt, Jr., Mrs. Howard Lisman, Mrs. Clyde Smith of Amarillo, Mrs. Eugene Berry of Wichita Falls and Misses Birdie and Margaret Sue, who reside with their parents. A. M. Jr., and Mrs. Lisman left last night for Amarillo, when notified that the end was near. All the children and the widow are in Amarillo. Mrs. Hiatt and Misses Birdie and Margaret Sue had accompanied him there, hoping that his health might be benefited by the change and a long automobile trip had been planned. Nearly four months ago Mr. Hiatt was stricken in his office with a heart attack and for several weeks it was thought he could not recover. The week before his departure for Amarillo, he was able to be down town and held a reception, seated in his accustomed place, with the many friends, who dropped in to see him.

About ten days ago, he left for Amarillo and it was thought he was recovering until messages received here yesterday dispelled what hopes were held by his friends.

Wilbarger County Fair Catalogue to Be Ready Soon

Work on the Wilbarger County Fair catalogue is progressing rapidly, and the catalogue will be ready for distribution about Wednesday, according to R. H. Coffee, manager. Present indications are that September 16-19 will be days to go down in the history of Vernon, Mr. Coffee states.

All of the copy for the catalogue will be in tomorrow, and printing will be rushed. The booklet this year will contain about sixty pages.

FOOTBALL COACH TO RETURN FIRST OF MONTH

E. A. Baggett, head football coach of the Vernon Lions, will return to Vernon ready for work about Sept. 3 according to recent communications with him. He is now stationed at Fort Leavenworth, Kans., with the C. M. T. C. and expects to leave there August 31.

Coach Baggett states that he realizes the enormity of the task which confronts him this year and desires to start work early, and work up as much enthusiasm as possible.

Both Coach Baggett and Coach Wilmonen have been attending a school for coaches at the University of Michigan this summer.



ILL-FATED MACKINAC, WHOSE BOILER EXPLOSION OFF SAWTUCKET R.I. COST FIFTY LIVES AND MAY CLAIM A TOTAL OF ONE HUNDRED. INSURERS ARE ED GILMARTIN, WATCHMAN & HERBERT SPENARD, WHOSE RADIO FLASHED REPEATED S.O.S.

ORGANIZATIONS BEHIND SCOUTS

URGE LARGE ATTENDANCE AT MEETING FRIDAY NIGHT AT METHODIST CHURCH.

Vernon civic organization are indicating their intention of fostering the Boy Scouts in the future, and are making efforts to secure a large attendance at the "Fathers' and Mothers' night," which is to be held in the basement of the Methodist Church to night.

American Legion officials have announced the intention of conferring a medal upon the Boy Scout with the best record for the year. The local Legion post will assist in any way possible in perfecting the Scout organization, as are other posts over the country.

At a meeting of the Lions Club this morning it was voted to extend an invitation to the Boy Scouts to attend one of the regular luncheons of the Club at some date convenient to the Scouts.

A number of members of the Federation of Women's Clubs have announced their intention of bringing the matter before the next meeting of the clubs, and they express confidence that action will be taken immediately.

The local Scout organization extends well over the county. Eighty boys in the city belong, and sixty others are enrolled in various parts of the county.

Club Girls Meet to Can For Fair at Library Thursday

Members of the girls' clubs of the county met at the Library Thursday for an all day canning under the supervision of Miss Emma Gunter, home demonstration agent. Vegetables and relishes in glass are now in readiness for their booth at the county fair to be held here September 16 to 19. Fancy needlework is being finished up now by women in both city and rural communities for the textile department and other displays are being prepared for the annual event. Though it seems a little late to get things in readiness, it is pointed out that the last few weeks are the busy ones of each year for those who have displays at the fair; so all are assured that the displays will be up to their usual standard of excellence.

Girls here for the canning experiments were Thelma Merry and Cecil Koontz, of East Vernon; Thelma Lawson of Rayland and Mary Baldwin and Mabel Hodges of Wells Valley.

Testing stations in the county are: Vernon Storage Battery Co., Napier Bros. Motor Co., Southwest Implement Co., all of Vernon, and Hale & Son of Tolbert, Douglas Garage of Harold, Gables Garage of Odell.

BAPTIST REVIVAL MEETING STARTS IN VERNON SUNDAY

Everything is in readiness for the Baptist revival meeting which is to start here Sunday under the direction of Rev. W. Y. Pond of Dallas, according to Rev. E. F. Lyon, pastor of the local church, and this promises to be one of the most successful meetings held at the Vernon church.

Rev. Lyon has worked with Rev. Pond in meetings before, and he proclaims the Dallas minister one of the most successful evangelists with whom he has ever worked.

Services will be held during the week at 10 a. m. and 8 p. m. The meeting is expected to continue two weeks.

ELLIOTT HOST TO BAPTISTS

WILBARGER-FOARD ASSOCIATION MEETS IN THREE-DAY ANNUAL SESSION.

Wilbarger-Foard Baptist Association meeting in annual session, closing a three-day program yesterday afternoon at Elliott, where Bethel Baptist church of that place was host.

Dr. E. F. Lyon, pastor of Vernon First Baptist church, was elected moderator; Rev. Frank McNair pastor of First Baptist church of Lockett is clerk and R. M. Fielder of Vernon, treasurer.

Representatives of fourteen churches were present and the attendance was the largest in the history of the association.

Rev. A. Vaughn of Odell preached the opening sermon, Tuesday night, and Dr. Lyon preached the missionary sermon, Wednesday morning at 11 o'clock. The program was full of interesting discussions and the report of the financial committee showed the association free from indebtedness which was a source of congratulation, members say.

Rev. C. Ross Payne was re-elected missionary for the district which includes Wilbarger and Foard counties.

The Woman's Missionary Union had charge Wednesday afternoon, and the program was very interesting. Mrs. C. Ross Payne was elected president, Mrs. H. E. Underwood, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. Roscoe Rainwater, Oklahoma, recording secretary; Mrs. G. H. Beavers, Fargo, Young Peoples' Leader; Mrs. B. C. Wood, Vernon, Benevolent chairman; Mrs. Self, Crowell, White Cross chairman; Mrs. J. N. Wright, Vernon, Mission study chairman, and Mrs. R. E. Swin, Vernon, Personal Service chairman.

Dinner was served at the church at the noon hour each day.

Many Headlights To Be Tested Here Before Sept. 1

With the headlights of approximately 3,500 automobiles and commercial vehicles to be tested in this county in three days before the headlight law goes into effect, testing stations are expected to be crowded. It is usually necessary to wait in line already. Only 975 cars have had headlights tested in Vernon up to date.

Wilbarger county officers state that they stand ready to enforce the law as soon as it goes into effect, as sufficient publicity has been given to the matter in state and local papers.

Testing stations in the county are: Vernon Storage Battery Co., Napier Bros. Motor Co., Southwest Implement Co., all of Vernon, and Hale & Son of Tolbert, Douglas Garage of Harold, Gables Garage of Odell.

NEGRO BOY LOSES LEG IN PLOW ACCIDENT THURSDAY

Monroe Johnson, 6, negro, lost his left leg as a result of an accident on a plow yesterday afternoon while plowing a short distance north of Oklahoma. The leg was caught in the plow and broken in three places. Physicians amputated it at the knee.

HALF INCH RAIN HERE THURSDAY

SHOWERS COVER COUNTY—HEAVIER IN SOUTHEAST—LIGHT IN NORTH.

Nearly half an inch of rain fell in Vernon late yesterday afternoon, and practically all parts of the county received more or less rainfall. In the southern part of the county where it was most needed, the rainfall was heaviest.

Fargo and Doans received light showers, as did the western portion of the county. The shower was unusually hard at times, and the streets of Vernon were covered with water for a short time.

Yesterday's shower practically assures Vernon and Wilbarger county of a large cotton crop, in the opinion of County Agent P. D. Chaney. Yesterday's rain came at an ideal time, and will be a wonderful aid to the cotton, following the heavy rains of a few weeks ago, he states.

Yesterday's rain brought the total for the month to near seven inches, the best record for the month of August that has been made in several years.

Wichita Falls Men Figure in Accident on East Wilbarger

Three men from Wichita Falls were injured in a car collision on East Wilbarger Street Tuesday afternoon. The men were injured when the car in which they were riding with I. G. Long of Childers, struck a coupe near Harris' Camp ground. Clay F. Wilson of Wichita Falls was more seriously injured than the others, sustaining a broken arm and a broken leg. E. T. Westmoreland and J. F. Joyce of Wichita received minor injuries. Mr. Long who was driving, was not injured, neither was the driver of the coupe. The cars are said to have collided because of a confusion of signals as one of the cars started to turn. In the confusion the two cars swerved the same way.

Mr. Wilson is still in a local sanitarium. The others left for Wichita Falls Wednesday morning.

PAVING TO BE ADDED ON ROAD NORTH OF ELECTRA

By action of city commission of Electra Monday, a mile and three-tenths of hard surfaced road to the end of the road leading north from Electra to Red River is to be added. The new road will run to the Oklahoma State line as determined by the recent United States survey and will be within 200 yards of Red River.

FOOTBALL FILM MAY BE SHOWN SQUAD IN VERNON

The talk of football fans here indicates that effort will be made to have a showing here of field tactics and fundamental football principles in a slow motion, two reel movie film, made under the direction of Knute Rockne, Notre Dame University coach. The film was made early in the year in Southern California and is now ready for distribution by the visual instruction division of the extension bureau of the University of Texas.

BAXLEY GIVEN EIGHT YEARS PEN SENTENCE

Prisoner Refuses To Talk During Trial—Bryant Case To Be Brought Before District Court Here Next Monday Morning.

John Baxley was convicted Wednesday in district court on a charge of robbery and assault in connection with the robbery of Ike Pippin, in which the latter was robbed and injured, dying a day later. Baxley was sentenced to eight years in the state penitentiary, and the sentence was added to the three years suspended sentence which he was under at the time the crime was committed.

Baxley refused to utter a word during the trial, and acted peculiar in other ways. Some thought that he appeared insane, and a verdict of insanity was talked of. The prisoner refused to speak to his own attorneys. In an effort to startle the boy into speech, District Attorney John A. Storey suddenly produced a revolver and fired it in the courtroom. The ruse was unsuccessful, as the expression on Baxley's face hardly changed.

After he was returned to the jail, Baxley talked freely to the other prisoners, and, it is said, laughed and joked about his light sentence.

The robbery for which Baxley was convicted occurred in the waiting room of the Fort Worth and Denver depot about 10 o'clock on the night of July 26. According to Pippin's statement, a youth approached him asking for change for a quarter, and attempted to grab his purse while he was making the change. A scuffle ensued, and Pippin was injured by striking a bench. He died the following day.

Set for trial in district court Monday is the case of the State vs. Dave Bryant, in which Bryant is charged with murder in connection with the killing of Harry A. K. Hagen. A special venire of 108 men has been called for this case.

Hagen was shot to death here on January 22. He and Bryant are alleged to have quarreled over a grocery account.

Grading Starts on Road Wednesday Near Oklaunion

Grading was started Wednesday on the Colorado to Gulf Highway between Oklahoma and Harold by R. B. Shrop, contractor, County Engineer John B. Nabers announced yesterday. Traffic is forced to detour about two miles already.

Grading of the road is in compliance with a contract recently let by the State Highway Commission. The highway commission is to bear half of the expenses and Wilbarger County the remainder.

Lee Highway north from Oklahoma is to be graded to the toll bridge spanning Red River which is now being constructed by Messrs. J. L. and J. A. Staley. About one-third of the bridge has been constructed to date, Mr. Nabers states.

HIGH GRADUATES HAVING CREDITS CHECKED HERE

A number of last year's graduates of Vernon High have already had their credits checked in preparation to entering some institution of higher learning this fall. W. T. Lofland, city superintendent of schools announced. Others who are contemplating entering college this fall should get a statement of their work here immediately. Mr. Lofland states, as the local school officials will not have time to do this after the opening of school, and students trying to enter college without the statement will encounter considerable difficulty.

WESTERN UNION ADDS NEW EQUIPMENT

New equipment is being installed in the local office of Western Union Telegraph company, the chief features of which are a new and larger switchboard, and a time stamp. During the past summer the business through the local office has been above the average and has caused the new equipment to be installed, according to M. L. Bonner, local manager.

Pays \$50,000



MISCHA ELMAN

Mischa Elman, American violinist, paid \$50,000 for a Stradivarius in Paris. The violin, said to be one of the world's best, was manufactured in 1717.

REPORT COTTON OPENING HERE

C. L. CLARK EXPECTS TO BEGIN PICKING IN TEN DAYS—GINS TUNING UP.

C. L. Clark, farmer located in the forks of the river about six miles northeast of Vernon, is the first to report cotton opening. He has one tract of cotton that has two and three bolls open to the stalk fairly general over the field. He states that he expects to begin picking in about ten days.

Wilbarger county appears to have later crops than the surrounding counties, as Wichita, and Baylor counties have reported their bales as has Tillman County, Oklahoma. Present indications are that it will be the middle of September before picking swings into action over the county.

A Record representative, after a survey of the county, states that cotton is unusually good in all sections, and that all appearances of the long drought have disappeared. Practically all estimates are now running in the neighborhood of last year's crop.

Workers have been employed to tune up the gins of Vernon. Ties and bagging are being stacked on the gin lots. Adjustments are being made and new equipment added. Gins everywhere are taking on a business-like atmosphere.

Farmers Gin To Add \$7000 Worth of New Equipment

New equipment costing approximately \$7,000 is being added to the Farmers Gin of Vernon. Frazier Bell, manager, announced this morning. The new equipment is on the ground, and workers have dismantled the gin for installing the new equipment.

The gin will be faster after the installation of the equipment, Mr. Bell states. Burr extractors, new feeders, new fans for some of the stands, new fans, are included in the new equipment.

ELLIOTT BAND GOES TO CRATERVILLE WEDNESDAY

A number of Vernon musicians accompanied the Elliott Band to Craterville Park Wednesday, where the musical organization will furnish music for the Indian Fair, which opened there yesterday and continues through tomorrow. H. L. Terhune accompanied the band as instructor.

LOCAL MARKETS

Chickens, per pound	14c
Friers, per pound	20c
Eggs, per dozen	30c
Butter, per pound	40c
Butter Fat, per pound	35c
Turkeys, per pound	10c

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SEVERAL WELLS STRIKE PAY IN LOCAL FIELDS

Winnipeg, Atlantic-Roxana, and Milham Have Good Showings at Depth Levels That Promise to Extend Producing Territory of County.

Barkley-Meadows No. 1-A Stephens encountered a good showing in a sandy lime from 2385-2400 feet, and bids fair to make the deepest producer in the South Vernon pool. When tubing was run recently to test out, the well flowed at the rate of 200 barrels a day. The tubing was pulled and a larger pipe run. The well is expected to be officially completed within the week. The hole offsets the old PrinceBrothers hole to the north.

Barkley-Meadows No. 3-B Stephens, section 83, block 14, was completed during the early part of the week for a flowing production of 100 barrels a day. It is producing from a sand at 2305-2330 feet, with the rich pay beginning at 2315. The company has started No. 1-B, a former producer from the 1800-foot horizon, to test the 2300-foot level.

Winnipeg Oil company's No. 4 Bond-Hawkins-Williams was completed for a 25-barrel production during the early part of the week from a sand at 1280-1295 feet in section 100, block 14.

Roxana Petroleum company and Atlantic Oil Producing company have an oil sand at a depth of 1315-1317 feet in No. 1 Waggoner in section 50, block 14. The well is expected to make a small producer. If completed, it will add a short extension to the south on the Gulf pool.

Atlantic is still running casing in No. 5 Zipperle, which has been on the sand at 2390-2395 feet for some time in section 80, block 14.

The Milham corporation of Texas has a good showing in a good-looking sand showing oil at 2440 to 2448, and will set casing to test in section 31, block 4, Waggoner lands. If made a producer, this well will add a large extension to the local fields.

Thelma Wells was last reported at 2300 feet in her wildcat on section 15, block 2, after getting a strong flow of water that filled the hole at 2290 feet.

The Roxana Petroleum company's No. 1 Waggoner, section 50, block 14, south of the Gulf producers, is looking for a sand at 1300 feet after passing up a show of oil and gas at 1295 feet.

County Farmers Asked To Visit Experiment Farm

Farmers of Wilbarger county are asked to be the guests of the Experiment Station at Chillicothe and examine the crops of the station on September 1 and 2, according to information recently received here. Mr. Chaney requests any farmers interested to visit the station during the two days.

Farmers will meet at the Chillicothe station at 5 o'clock on the afternoon of September 1, and a part of the crop will be inspected. A chicken barbecue will be served at 7:30, followed by a short program. The remainder of the crops will be inspected the following day. Admission will take place near noon of the second day.

THIEF ENTERS McHUGH HOME MONDAY NIGHT

A thief entered the home of Judge E. L. McHugh on Tolar street Monday night and took a highly prized gold watch that was given Judge McHugh by his friends when he retired from the office of county judge. Some change was taken also. Entrance was made through a window by removing the screen. The thief went through a pair of trousers hanging near the bed where Judge McHugh was asleep.

Return From Market.

Mrs. B. W. Williams, owner of the Murray Shop, and Mrs. Bess Osborn of the same store, returned this week from the Eastern markets where they bought goods for the fall and winter trade.

Former Resident.

Mrs. Lila Peyton of Mexia, resident of Vernon, thirty years ago, stopped off this week for a visit with her cousin, W. C. Alderman and family, en route home after spending the summer in Colorado.

Slave of Fashion On Way; Jones Here Tomorrow

"A Slave of Fashion" which opened at the Pictorium Theatre Monday and Tuesday, brings Norma Shearer to the screen in her second starring vehicle. Whoever made the choice for her did a wise thing for there has never been a more appealing nor yet a more scintillating role

than that of the heroine, Katherine Emerson. Opening in the conventional family atmosphere of a small village in Iowa, the scene quickly shifts to New York. With it is the contrast of a rich and fashionable world, a luxurious bachelor's apartment and the glitter and glamor that only the Fifth Avenue of New York can know.

It's the story of a small town girl who masquerades as a rich bachelor's wife and is on the verge of exposure. How the bachelor "husband" acquiesces and then saves her from an embarrassing position makes the story quite and interesting and entertaining one.

Low Cody plays the bachelor hero. It seems a pity that he has missed so many years of leading roles, for here is no leading man on the screen more convincing than he. William Haines is cast as the juvenile lead, Dick Wayne. Though his role is small it is very important and he proves in his scenes that he is an actor of real ability.

Mary Carr needs no other praise than to say she plays the mother, for in such characterizations she is unequalled.

Vivian Ogden is uproariously funny as the spinster aunt. James Corrigan, Miss du Pont

and Sidney Bracy all have small but important roles. Hobart Henley directed this production for Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer and the story which is the original by Samuel Shipman was adapted to the screen by Bess Meredyth. "The Pictorium" announces as its next Buck Jones feature, "The Man Who Played Square" which will be here Saturday for one day only. With the increasing popularity of this series of William Fox productions written especially for this popular western star, a few more leaves of laurel are added to his crown of screen prestige. Wanda Hawley plays the leading feminine role and Frank Mann offers a great comedy role.

"Raffles," that delightful polished character so carefree with other person's valuables and made to live so vividly by its creator, E. W. Hornung, will be portrayed on the screen by House Peters in the name part of the Universal-Jewel at the Pictorium today only. Miss Dupont has the leading feminine role. Others prominently cast are Walter Long, Hedda Hoyer, Freeman Wood, Winter Hall and Kate Lester. King Baggot directed.

"Night Life Of New York" Here Monday for 2 Days

"Night Life of New York" Allan Dwan's latest production for Paramount will be shown here at the Vernon theatre, two days, Monday and Tuesday of next week. The play as the name implies is a story of night life in Gotham and is an elaborate production full of thrills. Ernest Torrence, Rod La Rocque, Dorothy Gish and George Backstone have the leading roles which is quite an aggregation of stars in the screen firmament. La Rocque is featured as the young spendthrift who wants a thing at Broadway. Dorothy Gish has the part of a demure little telephone girl and of course the spender gets into all sorts of trouble with adventuresses, smashed taxicabs and a robbery in which the hero is accused of stealing the jewels. Ernest Torrence has the part of the father, who takes New York but resolves to give the boy his fling.

Those who have not already seen "The Mysterious Stranger" at the Vernon theatre will do well to make as they view the performance Friday and Saturday, for it is the last which will be given in Vernon, and incidentally the picture is the best in which Dick Talmadge has ever appeared. The story, adapted by James Bell Smith, contains some of the material of Dr. Samuel Johnson's "History of Rasselas" and it moves sensational picture matter, albeit the worthy dictator of English letters more than a century ago is not generally considered as a writer for the movies. Imaginative, logical, colorful and "punchy" in the extreme, "The Mysterious Stranger" provides Daring Dick with more thrills than even he is used to purveying to the public. The picture is a scream of laughter and a riot of thrills; while real pathos has been injected into the production to an unusual degree. Jack Neison directed the picture and has done a thoroughly workmanlike job.

Jarrell Buchanan, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Buchanan was operated on for appendicitis at a local hospital yesterday. His condition is reported favorable.

Record classified ads bring results.

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South Cumberland St.

Manville Brothers Show Crowded at Each Showing

Manville Brothers Comedians which are showing under the auspices of the police department seems to be a show that gets better the first night. Regular attendants announce that the show is better each night. Tonight is proclaimed as feature night, with "Little Miss Lightfingers" scheduled as the main play.

Toby and his country rube roles please the crowds more than the usual character of this sort. His imitation of the boy from the backwoods seems more natural than usual.

The Bear Cats, Manville Brothers' musical organization, is winning considerable applause now. Young people have a tendency to take seats as near the orchestra as possible.

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NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC
Any erroneous reflection upon the reputation or standing of any individual, firm or corporation, that may appear in the columns of The Record, will be gladly corrected when called to the attention of the editor.

MORE PAVING NEEDED.

Vernon is rapidly coming to be a well-paved city. The work which is now nearing completion will mean a big improvement, but there is considerable paving needed to round out the present system. Except in the business district the paving is not connected. What is needed are some streets that will connect up the paved streets outside of the downtown section.

There ought to be cross-street paved in West Vernon to connect Wilbarger, Paradise and Texas. North Cumberland ought to be connected up with Main, and, if possible, extended to Fannin with an extension to the north of the Fannin Street pavement.

The residents of South Cumberland are anxious for pavement and if this could be done with a loop connection with South Main it would be a great convenience. Additional paving is needed in East Vernon, and some means ought to be found to extend the Texas Street paving, to the Fair park with a loop connecting with the Colorado-Gulf highway in Hillcrest Road addition.

Traffic has grown to such an extent that the present paved streets are too badly congested for safety. The extension of the pavement on Fannin and Cumberland will not afford much relief for traffic in the business district because of lack of loop connections. Main will continue to carry most of the downtown traffic, and the completion of the pavement on South Main will have the effect of concentrating all South Vernon traffic on this street, just as East Wilbarger now carries all East Vernon traffic.

Of course, it takes a lot of money to do paving, but 15 or 20 blocks of additional paving would not cost such a prohibitive sum and would place Vernon in position to care for her traffic problems better than the average small city. This sort of a program would be a splendid one to plan for accomplishment during the next twelve months.

BOLSHEVISM IN ACTION.

A coal strike is threatened in this country. President Coolidge has given the country to understand that he will not use the influence of the Government to effect a settlement. Only recently a coal strike in Great Britain was averted through the intervention of the overment in the form of a promise to pay out of the public treasury—tax money—the difference between the wages offered by the operators and the scale demanded by the miners.

The expedient adopted by the British Government to avert the threatened strike sought to pay the

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(Old Mc)

extra cost of mining coal through levies on general taxpayers. This is worse than the industrial program of the British Socialist party, because it imposes a financial responsibility on the Government without giving the Government a voice in the management of the industry. British Socialism proposes Government ownership and operation of the mines. The settlement effected goes farther, even approaching Bolshevism.

There is a theory that poverty can be alleviated by the simple expedient of appropriating tax money. The British settlement will make the increase in miners' wages more burdensome on the coal consumers than an increase in the price of coal. The same people will pay in either event. The only difference is that the cost will be greater by the tax route.

A great many people believe that poverty can be eliminated by appropriating tax money. The British have been experimenting with unemployment pensions. A lot of American people want to see the same thing tried in this country. When things go wrong we want the Government to save us. The only safe basis for an industry to operate is to let those who use its product or its service pay the bill. Covering up the cost in taxes is a poor expedient and sooner or later the nation that attempts it will come to grief. The British are a very conservative people, we are told, but since the war they have been making some unusual compromises with Bolshevism.

DOANS NEWS.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Smith and baby of Farwell, visited Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Moore last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Wilson and children returned from Stanton Tuesday, where they went for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Armstrong went to Oklahoma Sunday and spent the day looking over the country.

Gerald Stroud visited in the Moore home Saturday night. Bernard Harrell was very sick.

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Thursday night, but is much better at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Owen and son, Stanley, of Wichita Falls, visited his brothers' Bob and Roy, last week.

Several from here are attending the Church of Christ meeting at Fargo this week.

Miss Ida Mae Smith of Farwell spent the week-end with Miss Edna Moore.

Miss Irene Jordan of Rayland was a guest Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Armstrong.

Hornace Young of Rayland was in Doans Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Shep Martin of Chillicothe spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Adair.

Mrs. McClelland entertained with a party Monday night.

Mrs. L. C. Moore and children left Sunday for Chillicothe, where she will visit her parents.

Mrs. H. C. Briscoe and boys of Quannah visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Wilson over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wilson of Odell spent Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. Tom Adair and family.

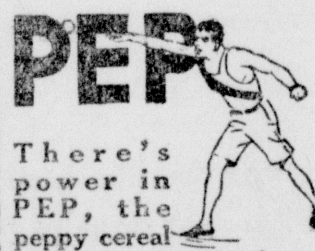
Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Igou and children of Electra have returned to their home after a visit with C. F. Doan.

J. J. Armstrong was a Vernon visitor Saturday.

Tom Adair and Neel Slappey went to Vernon Tuesday.

Miss Irene Jordan came Wednesday to spend the week-end with her aunt, Mrs. Ed Armstrong.

Record classified ads bring results.



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Card Of Thanks

It is with grateful hearts we take this method of extending our sincere thanks to the kind friends and neighbors, who comforted us during the death and burial of our beloved father, B. C. Smith. Especially do we thank the Odd Fellows for their kindness to their dead brother's family and the beautiful floral offering. May God bless you one and all, who contributed in any way to lighten our burden of sorrow.

Gratefully Yours,

A. B. SMITH,
MRS. ELLA MILLER,
BEN SMITH,
JOHN SMITH,
JULIUS SMITH,
MRS. ETTA BROCK,
MRS. MATTIE TOLSON.

Attend Baptist Association.

Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Wheeler and daughter, Miss Theda Wheeler, A. B. Hughes, Lee Hendricks and A. Bankston went to Floydada Thursday to attend the Primitive Baptist Association. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. T. J. McDaniel of Bellvue and S. M. Meek of Hendetta.

Returns To Vernon.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Wilson have returned to Vernon after spending several months in Roswell, N. M. Mr. Wilson has accepted a position again with the B. & W. Drug Store.

Mrs. Cam Evans and three sons, Herman, Eugene and Floyd, of Southland are visiting her brother, E. A. Vernon and family.

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Miss Vera Smith returned to her home at Frederick Wednesday after visiting in the home of D. C. Smith and family. Mr. Smith and daughter, Bessie, and son, Kenneth, returned to Frederick with her.

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Federal Highway to Run From Here Through Frederick

Announcement was made Wednesday by the Oklahoma State Highway Commission that the Lee Highway through Frederick and Davidson has been included in the United States federal aid highway system. With the designation of this stretch of highway as a federal route, the route is completed across the continent through Vernon, as the Lee Highway was formerly designated as a federal route with the exception of the stretch between Vernon and Ardmore, Okla.

Designation of the road between Ardmore and Vernon has been delayed for some time because of the controversy over the free bridge to span Red River near Burk Burnett, but it has been announced now that the bridge will have no bearing on the federal route.

John B. White left yesterday for Dallas for medical treatment.

Delbert Smith and O. D. Fisher went to Boulder, Colorado, Thursday.

William Shivers expects to leave during the latter part of this week for an extended visit in Central Texas.

Kodak finishing will be cash in advance after September 15th. The Clifton Studio.

Mrs. J. A. Brady, who has been visiting her brother, J. A. Dixon, and family, left yesterday for her home at Hope, Ark.

Mrs. C. A. Southland and children, James and Lula, of Emory, are visiting C. B. Crouch and family, at Hinds.

Miss Carrie Adele Long of Fort Worth has arrived in Vernon Tuesday for a few days visit with Miss Katharyn Wheatley.

R. L. Pyle and family were guests of A. J. Norton and W. C. Howard Tuesday at Idleville, Mr. Norton's summer home, nine miles north of Quanah.

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Tillet S. Teedle went to Eldorado this morning where he will conduct a revival in the Church of Christ at that place. He drove through in his automobile and was accompanied by his son, Pete.

Mr. and Mrs. Blake Lewis have returned from Dallas, where they were married last week. They are now at home at their residence, corner of Wichita and Pearl streets.

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Mrs. Will Currin, who has been seriously ill for several days, is reported to be slightly improved, though her condition yet remains critical.

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E. L. MOORE, Pastor.

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J. M. PERRY, Pastor
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Special chorus by choir.

8:15 Evening service.

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Sermon: "A Prominent Citizen Converted in Hell."

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St. Paul's Lutheran Church.

Sunday school at 9:15.

The Lord's Supper will be celebrated during the morning services.

Confessional address at 10 o'clock by the pastor.

Sermon in the morning at 10:30 by Mr. Arthur Braus, student of Theology from the Lutheran Seminary at Springfield, Ill.

Sermon in the evening at 8:15 by the pastor.

Theme: "God's Intentions When He Afflicts Us With Illness."

You are cordially invited to attend.

J. A. BIRNBAUM, Pastor.

B. Y. P. U. Program.

According to advance announcements, the program of the Baptist Young People's Union will be interesting next Sunday evening. The program as announced is as follows:

"Baptist in the lands of Buddha," by James Allen Hodges.

"Population in These Lands," Anna Mae Reeder.

"Religious But Lost," Maude Crawford.

"What These Religions Teach," Ruth Lyon.

"Growth of the Gospel," Ruth Theben.

"Christ Will Yet Conquer Japan," Carrol Clement.

Methodist Church.

Sunday school, 9:30 a. m., R. D. L. Killough, Superintendent.

Preaching at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.

Morning subject: "A Tired Christian and the Remedy."

Senior League, 7 p. m.

Prayer-meeting Wednesday 8 p. m.

Many are returning from their vacations, the weather is cooler; may every member be in his place Sunday, both for Sunday school and church. Visitors will receive a cordial welcome.

C. A. BICKLEY, Pastor.

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H. K. Greever went to Dallas yesterday on business.

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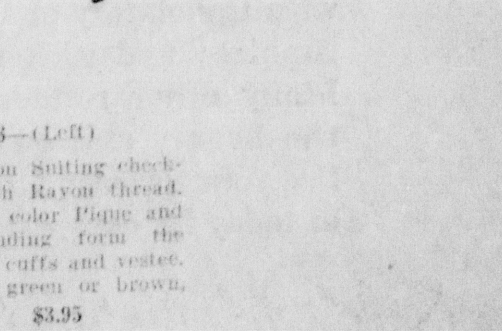
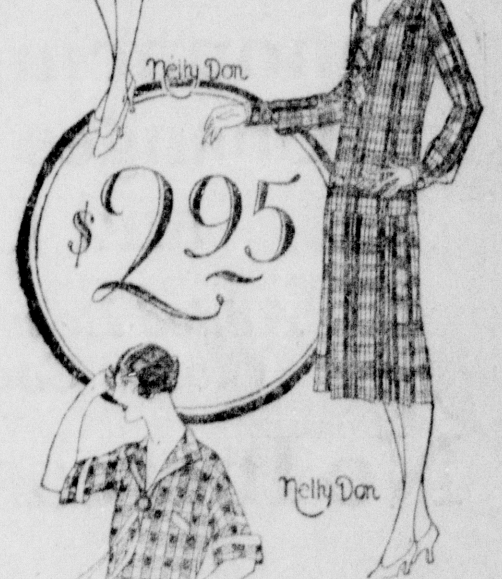
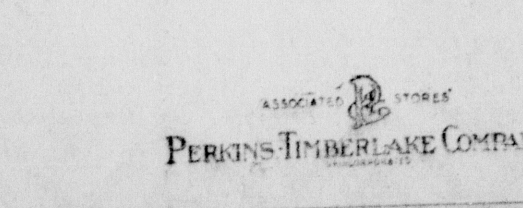
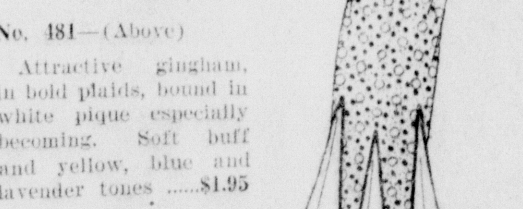
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ABBIT NYE RETURNS TO RING AND LOSES TO JOR- DAN IN SECOND ROUND.

Fans saw a real knockout in the ring at the corner of Texas and Mesquite Tuesday night when Duke Trammel came back with his old one-two punch and knocked out Tuffy McMullen at the beginning of the second round. Trammel sent his opponent down with a left hook to the stomach followed immediately by a right hook to the jaw. Trainers worked with McMullen some ten or fifteen minutes before he was revived. McMullen was out-classed from

the start, and it was clear that he would do well to go the ten round route with Trammel.

Young Rich fought four rounds to a draw with Young Parker of Wichita Falls. Rich won the first round by a wide margin, but allowed his opponent to even up the fight in the later rounds by playing the ropes. Rich was much the clever fighter in the center of the ring, but seemed not to realize that Parker was beating him as long as he stayed near the ropes.

Rich has developed into a very clever little fighter, but has one outstanding weakness, his inability to stand up to a body attack.

Battling Nelson made a good showing Tuesday night and fought the Dixie Kid to a four round draw in a fast colored bout. Nelson showed up much better than he did in his last bout here.

Rabbit Nye, Vernon's old-time favorite, again appeared in the arena Tuesday night, and again went down before the terrific pounding of Bill

Jordan, of Rayland. Rabbit went out in the second round, when the fight was called by the referee. Rabbit has a tendency to keep fighting even after he is out on his feet. In the two fights that he has lost, he has hung on until the referee called the fight off.

FELDER ASKS FOR WORK FOR FOOTBALL PLAYERS

A number of football players have visited the offices of the Chamber of Commerce recently who expect to play here next year, but must have work to pay their expenses. R. M. Felder, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce states. None are considered except those whose parents or guardians have moved here, because of the new ruling, but efforts are being made to secure work for those who are eligible, and Mr. Felder asks business men to let him know when they can use a boy.

Judge Green of Mule Shoe is here on business for a few days and visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Green.

Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Easterling and children of Memphis are here for a visit with her mother, Mrs. L. E. Robertson.

Dr. and Mrs. H. C. Caylor of Walla Walla, Washington, former residents, are here for a few days on business and visiting Mrs. T. E. Standifer and other friends.

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Ford Announces Improved Line of Body Types

Body changes and chassis refinements are more pronounced than any made since the adoption of the Model T chassis were announced here today by the Ford Motor Company. There will be no advance in price, it also was stated. Production at the Dallas Branch will start September 1st at which time all dealers will be sampled with the improved cars.

Outstanding features of the improvements in both open and closed types are lower, all-steel bodies on a lowered chassis, complete new design in most body types, a change from black to color in closed cars, larger, lower fenders, newly designed seats and larger, more powerful brakes.

Longer lines, effected through higher radiator and redesigned cowl and bodies are apparent in all the improved Ford cars, but are especially pronounced in the open types. Wide crown fenders hung close to the wheels contribute to the general effect of lowness and smartness.

While Runabout and Touring cars remain in black, the closed bodies are finished in harmonious color schemes, enhanced by nickel radiators. The Coupe and Tudor bodies are finished in deep channel green while the Poplar is rich Windsor Maroon.

Greater comfort is provided for driver and passengers in both open and closed cars by larger compartments, more deeply cushioned seats and greater leg room.

Many new conveniences are also incorporated in the improved cars. In the Runabout, Touring Car, Coupe and Tudor, the gasoline tank is under the cowl and filled through an ingeniously located filler cap completely hidden from sight by a cover similar in appearance to a cowl ventilator. One-piece windshield and narrow pillars in the Tudor and Coupe offer the driver greatly increased visibility and improved ventilation.

Driving comfort is materially increased by lower seats, scientifically improved back rests, and lower steering wheel. Brake and clutch pedals are wider and more conveniently spaced.

Four doors are now provided on the Touring Car and two on the Runabout permitting the driver to take his place from the left side of the car. Curtains held secure by rods, open with the doors.

Most important in the mechanical changes are the improved brakes. The transmission brake drum and bands have been considerably increased in size which gives the foot brake softer and more positive action as well as longer life. The rear wheel brake drums are larger and the brake of self energizing type.

Cord tires are now standard equipment on all Ford cars.

E. A. Church and family are visiting on the plains this week. They expect to return early in next week.

E. P. Piper and Charley Alger are enjoying an outing at Medicine Park, Okla. They will return by the way of Craterville, where they will attend the Indian Fair, now in progress there.

SALESPeople WANTED

Experienced salesman with several years experience in furnishings, clothing and shoes. Experienced saleswoman in dry goods, hosiery, ready-to-wear and notions. Give experience, reference and telephone or postoffice address. If you have worked only a short while or just in sales do not apply. Permanent positions with well established firm.

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Vernon, Texas

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Many Vernon Falls Are Showing
How to Avoid Needless
Suffering.

There's nothing more annoying than kidney weakness or inability to properly control the kidney secretions. Night and day alike, the sufferer is tormented and what with the burning and scalding, the attendant backache, headache and dizziness, life is indeed a burden. Doan's Pills—a stimulant diuretic to the kidneys—have brought peace and comfort to many Vernon people. Profit by this Vernon resident's experience:

W. C. Snyder, building contractor, W. Bismarck St., says: "My kidneys were out of order and they acted irregularly. At night the secretions passed too frequently and I had to get up many times. This, of course, disturbed my rest. Mornings my back was sore and stiff and I could hardly stoop. A sharp pain took me. Doan's Pills, from the Ferguson Drug Co., cured me of the attack."

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Your credit protects your family.
You should then, by all means protect your greatest asset
YOUR CREDIT

In establishing a good credit you have created the strongest of material assets. Credit and confidence is the basic foundation of good citizenship

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Good Plumbing For Added Comfort!

Your home will possess added comfort and the charm of an improved interior, if you allow North Texas Hardware Co. to install a complete Bathroom outfit or a modern wash basin or new equipment in your kitchen.

By our plan you can have the best at a price that will allow you a real saving. Pays for itself in the long run. Let's talk it over.

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Announcing Important Changes in Bodies and Chassis

*Added Beauty and Utility
Closed Cars in Color*

No Increase in Prices

All-steel bodies on Tudor Sedan, Coupe and open cars. Bodies and chassis both lowered. Larger, more attractive fenders, affording greater protection. New improved transmission and rear axle brakes on all types. One-piece ventilating windshield on closed cars; double ventilating type on open cars. Curtains opening with all doors on Touring car and Runabout. Closed cars in colors, with upholstery of finer quality to harmonize; and nicked radiator shells. Many other refinements now add to the beauty and quality of these cars. See your nearest Authorized Ford Dealer today for complete details.

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DETROIT, MICH.

Notice.
MONEY TO LOAN on city property. Monthly payments, \$12.50 per one thousand. Pay your loan off any part of it and no penalty. See me about it. C. S. McCulloch, Old Mc. 68-4tc

BUY YOUR RADIO BATTERIES AND TUBES at 1306 1-2 Main St., Phone 730 E. H. STALEY

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Wanted
WANTED—Experienced saleslady. Also girl to assist and put out work. Kramer Studio. 67-3tc

Wanted
WANTED—Three unfurnished rooms or small house. Phone 139. 67-3tc

Room and Board
ROOM AND BOARD in private home. 1303 East Yamparika street. \$10.50 per week. 68-3tp

Roomers and Boarders
Roomers and boarders are wanted—Mrs. H. P. Parker on first block southeast of pump station. 67-3tp

Wanted
WANTED—A hustling boy or girl who desires a business education to distribute circulars in Vernon. Here's your opportunity to pay a good part of tuition by a few hours of light work. Call for particulars at once. Higginbotham Shortham Studio. Room 206, Davis Bldg. 67-2tc

Wanted
WANTED—A middle aged woman to keep house. See or write to W. L. Loper, Box 198, Odell, Texas. 67-3tp

Money to Loan
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Wanted
WANTED—To rent on halves. Half section sandy land with two houses. M. O. Sparks, Route 2, Tolbert. 67-6tp

For Sale—Real Estate
FOR SALE—House and lots for sale. Apply at Vernon Music store. 68-3tc

For Sale
FOR SALE—16 acre truck farm near West Vernon school. See E. L. Snodgrass. 68-3tp

For Sale
FOR SALE—Five room modern house. Has sleeping porch and hot and cold water. Corner lot, big shade trees, nice orchard, cellar and garage. You save more than just the commission. See owner at White Garage. 61-3tc

For Sale
FOR SALE—Nice residence lots in southwest Vernon, near high school, \$400 per lot. 60X120. Box 401, Vernon, Texas. 64-6tp

For Sale
FOR SALE—House and lot on this mark. Take Ford or truck in trade. Call 786-W. J. C. Martin. 66-3tp

For Sale
FOR SALE—Some good cotton farms near Odell. Bargains in Plains land a specialty. J. P. Smith at Odell Bank. 66-3tp

For Sale
FOR SALE—Five room house located in cool part of town. If interested address P. O. Box 827. 67-3tp

For Sale
FOR SALE—New modern five room house with garage. One block west of new high school building at 2407 Yamparika street. If you want a good home at a reasonable price and in the best part of town, come and see it. A. E. Garrett. 67-4tp

Lost and Found
LOST—A small Eastern Star pin with figures raised in gold. Finder please return to Record office. 67-3tp

Found
FOUND—Two bay horses have taken up at my place three miles southwest of Vernon. Have been here three weeks. B. P. Wiseman, Route 2, Vernon. 67-3tp

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WEST TEXAS ELECTRIC COMPANY
Phone 810

For Rent
FOR RENT—Nice South bedroom, outside entrance. Adjoining bath, for one or two men. 2411 South Main. 66-3tc

For Rent
FOR RENT—One large double bedroom, adjoining bath, close in. Phone 451-W. 66-3tc

For Rent
FOR RENT—Home with all modern conveniences on West Wilbarger. Call 307. 2720 West Wilbarger. 66-3tc

For Rent
FOR RENT—One cool comfortable front bedroom. Phone 489-W. 2409 Texas Street. 66-3tc

For Rent
FOR RENT—Room for light housekeeping, one block East, and one block North of Vernon Hotel. Only one child considered. 1528 Olive Street. 66-3tc

For Rent
FOR RENT—One two room apartment. Phone 788. 66-3tc

For Rent Monday
FOR RENT MONDAY—To adults only. Modern furnished apartment. Telephone 9001. 1tc

For Rent
FOR RENT—Nicely furnished apartment at 2227 Paradise Street. Phone 233. 68-2tc

For Rent
FOR RENT—One large light housekeeping room at 2129 Cumberland street. Corner Yamparika. 68-3tc

For Rent
FOR RENT—Light housekeeping rooms across the road from the end of Bacon street. Mrs. F. P. McGhee. 68-3tc

For Rent
FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms. Inquire at W. & W. Filling Station, 818 North Main or Phone 745. 1tc

Furnished Room for Rent
FURNISHED ROOM for rent, two blocks east of Bailey Hotel. 1428 Pease street. Phone 199. 1tc

For Rent
FOR RENT—Three room furnished apartment. All modern conveniences. Miss Violet Wilson. Phone 341. 1tp

For Rent
FOR RENT—Front bedroom, close in. 1819 Bismarck. Phone 536-J. 68-3tc

For Rent
FOR RENT—One room furnished for light housekeeping to couple without children. 1302 Marshall street. Phone 605-J. 1tp

For Rent
FOR RENT—Three nicely furnished bedrooms, 1604 Lamar Street. Phone 397-W. 67-3tc

For Rent
FOR RENT—Five rooms with bath and garage, on paved street, close in. Phone 224 or see Mr. Smith, second floor Dixon Bldg. 67-2tc

For Rent
FOR RENT—For six months or one year, furnished house, six rooms, bath, sleeping porch and two open porches. Suitable for rooming or boarding house. Two blocks from square. 1827 Bowie Street. Phone 271. 67-3tp

For Rent
FOR RENT—To two working girls, front bedroom, private entrance to room and bath. See Mrs. Chas. Thompson at 1129 Wilbarger street. 67-3tp

For Rent
FOR RENT—Three room unfurnished apartment at 2629 West Paradise street. Phone 609-J. 67-3tc

For Rent
FOR RENT—Apartment for rent. Modern conveniences. Phone 307. 2720 Wilbarger. 67-3tc

For Rent
FOR RENT—Furnished southeast room for light housekeeping. 1305 East Wilbarger Street. 67-3tp

For Rent
FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms in new house with modern conveniences. 1127 East Pease Street. Phone 811-W. 67-3tc

For Rent
FOR RENT—One room furnished or unfurnished. 2104 Eastland street. Phone 553-W. Mrs. J. L. Jones. 67-3tc

For Rent
FOR RENT—September first, six-room house. Phone 788. 1tc

For Rent
FOR RENT—Furnished bedroom with southern exposure. Phone 751-W. 1tc

For Rent
FOR RENT—Large bedroom with all modern conveniences. 2409 Texas Street. Phone 489-W. 1tc

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Is often caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing. Unless the inflammation can be reduced, your hearing may be destroyed forever.
HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE will do what no other can. It rid your system of Catarrh or Deafness caused by Catarrh. HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE has been successful in the treatment of Catarrh for over Forty Years. Sold by all druggists.
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Am prepared to insure your cotton anywhere and can give you prompt service. Also fire and tornado insurance written in the best companies.
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Phone 453
We guarantee our work. Our prices are reasonable and we can do your mattress work on short notice.
PHONE US

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PEARS FOR SALE—C. D. Thompson on Lutz farm three miles south-east of Vernon. 68-3tc

For Sale
FOR SALE—A number 1 good milk cow. See John Crawford. 67-4tc

See H. D. Thompson
SEE H. D. THOMPSON, Dodge Brothers salesman, with McFall Brothers before you buy a car. 68-3tc

Record classified ads bring results.

Miss Ruth Stovall
Miss Ruth Stovall of Wichita Falls is visiting friends here this week.

H. F. Houtchins
H. F. Houtchins, Fort Worth attorney, was in Vernon on business during the early part of the week.

Mrs. E. H. Gibson
Mrs. E. H. Gibson returned yesterday from an extended tour which included stops at Niagara Falls and Canada.

E. R. Robinson
E. R. Robinson of Marlin is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Robinson.

Mr. and Mrs. Barton Thornton
Mr. and Mrs. Barton Thornton spent Wednesday night here with his uncle, H. A. Hood and family, en route to their home at Lockney after an automobile trip to Galveston.

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RIG TIMBERS
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Fall Term, 34th Annual Session
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Make room reservations NOW. For catalog and further information, write—

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We do not believe in mis-statements nor an indulgence in pessimism—but we do think we owe it to our customers and the people of Wilbarger County to plainly state facts regarding the coal situation. As all know—there has been a disturbed situation in the industry—between miners and operators, with the result that already there has developed a series of strikes with a possibility of spreading to other fields where we get our supply. For that reason it is important that consumers take steps now to protect their families during the cold months that are to come.

We are ready to deliver the Best grades of Colorado Niggerhead and Maitland TRADE MARKED Coals at the lowest prices consistent with the high quality.

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Stationery

An Unusual Purchase

We purchased over three million sheets of writing paper and envelopes for our hundreds of stores.

That's why this high grade box of 3 quires of stationery, assorted colors, can be sold to you at

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Shaker and Jumbo Knit
Sleeper style, shawl or convertible collars—

\$1.49 to \$4.98

Style in Hats

Is Found Here

Where style and value meet! Smart women see it in our new Autumn Hats which are all ready for your approval. You will like the group, so pleasingly priced at

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For Men

Made of genuine fur felt. Excellent value and plenty of style, silk band, real leather sweatband. New colors—steel, nutmeg and seal. Very low priced at—

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Newest Frocks of Wool

In Scintillating Modes!



Youth is the outstanding feature of these Frocks! They're full of pep—or what is known as dash! The styles become the high school or college miss.

For the Junior Miss and the Small Woman

The small woman who can't find appropriate or sizable clothes will welcome these frocks.

Made of fine wools—charmeuse, poretchen, twills, etc. And priced,

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Wear a Handsome Hat!

Chosen from Our Stunning Array



You, too, can have a "winner"—a Hat which everyone will tell you just suits you! Our Fall Millinery is assembled from the style marts—and you have only to choose the Hat which takes your fancy most. Priced,

\$3.98

A New Marathon Hat

"The Alert"—For Fall

Styled to the minute, with lines of grace and splendid balance. Our feature hat at—

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Everything necessary to a fine hat has been included. Quality that's apparent and definite, featuring the English curl-bound edge, satin lined, silk band and binding. In new Fall colors of Clove and Camel.

"Let Us Be Your Hatter"



All the Style Possible

In This New Marathon Hat

Meet "The Premier," with more than its share of style, balance and other fine hat attributes—

\$4.98

Our newest young man's curl brim, bound-edge Marathons for Fall. From the very finest materials; the English roll-brim model. Fine quality silk band and satin lining, comfort-fitting leather sweat-band. In Moth, Pearl, Ocean, Maltese and Mocha.

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CHEVIOTS FOR FALL

made up in easy fitting Society
Brand Clothes

The loose, easy suit is now generally approved by the men who know good styles. For this style Cheviots are the thing this Fall. These fabrics as shown here are specially se-

lected, not only for their rich autumn colorings, but because they bring out so well the fine points of the loose, easy cut of Society Brand and Adler Clothes.

Have you seen the new Fall Hats?—They are here.

The new Fall shirts made by Wilson Bros. and Manhattan are here ready for your selection.

Brunson & Williams
MEN'S AND BOYS' OUTFITTERS

"KNOWN FOR GOOD CLOTHES"

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Oldest Abstract Company in the County

J. O. ROUSE, Manager

Typewriters Bought, Sold and Repaired

New Machines and a stock of Ribbons on the Road

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More Meals Per Dollar SATURDAY SPECIALS

Coffee	GOLDEN GAGE, Large Bucket	\$1.25
Salmon	LARGE CAN, Each	12 1-2c
Blackberries	NO. 2 SIZE, Per Can	12 1-2c
Baking Powder	K. C. 25c CAN, Each	19c
Sardines	AMERICAN, Per Can	4c
Irish Potatoes	Per Pound FANCY,	3c

Keep your eye open and you will see that it pays to trade with

Aston Spic & Span Market

North Main Street

FUTURE HIGH STUDENTS APPLY FOR WORK HERE

A number of students who expect to enter Vernon High School at the opening of this fall have applied to Superintendent W. T. Lofland for work out side of school hours in order that they may pay their expenses in school. Efforts will be made to secure work for the students, Mr. Lofland states, and he requests the business men of Vernon to assist him in placing the students.

"I feel that it is the duty to help these worthy students make their own way," says the superintendent.

South Plains People Here.

Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Timms and sons, Cecil and Aubrey, of Dozier, former residents of the east part of the county, are here for a visit with their daughter, Mrs. M. D. Morgan, of Vernon, and Mrs. P. B. Barrett, sister of Mrs. Timms at Hinds. Mrs. Timms is delighted with her new home on the south plains but says she still is in love with Wilbarger county. Crops are fine there now, she says, but are needing rain. Cotton is over waist high and heavily fruited.

Oklahoma Visitor to Preach.

Rev. and Mrs. J. F. Lockhart and son, J. H., of Abilene, will arrive this week for a visit with their daughter, Mrs. R. L. Freeman, of Oklahoma. Rev. Lockhart will practice at the Oklahoma Baptist church Wednesday night, September 2.

Back From Market.

J. A. Dixon, head of Dixon Dry Goods Company and Mrs. D. D. Jackson, manager of the ready-to-wear department of the store, returned this week from Eastern markets where they purchased fall and winter stocks. They were met at Wichita Falls by Mrs. Dixon and Miss Beryl, who accompanied them home.

Vernon Boys in Far West.

Communications have been received from Theron and Miles Staley and Wayne Greene. They are now in Vancouver, British Columbia, and expect to return home early in September. They left here August 10, traveling with camp equipment only. They have visited Yellowstone National Park and other places of interest.

Dr. B. D. Flaniken and family returned yesterday from a stay at Colorado Springs and Denver.

Mrs. Vera Mason and son, Noel, spent Sunday and Monday in Lubbock visiting friends.

RECENT BRIDE HONOREE AT RECEPTION AND SHOWER

Mrs. Richard Walker of Wichita Falls, recent bride, was honoree at a very pretty reception and shower at the home of Mrs. Innes McCrary, Wednesday afternoon, given by members of the Home Economic club, of which Mrs. Walker has been a valuable member.

In the receiving line were the hostess, the honoree and the bride's sister, Miss Robbie Castlebury, and at a side entrance Mrs. P. A. Denny received the gifts which were presented until the opportune moment arrived for inspection.

Mrs. Roy Abbott led the way to the gift room, where the secret of the shower was being kept from the bride.

Miss Mildred Robertson and Miss Mattie Mae Renfro presided over the punch bowl artistically arranged in a bed of flower and fern.

A short program was enjoyed. Mrs. Robert T. Lutz gave a reading and responded to an encore. Miss Hazel Vaughn also gave a reading. Throughout the afternoon, music was furnished by the Edison. An ice course was served. After the reception, Mrs. Walker was escorted to the gift room where her many beautiful gifts were displayed.

The shower was a complete surprise to the honoree as she thought only a reception had been arranged in her honor.

Until her marriage a few days ago to Mr. Walker, she was Miss Lillie Castlebury of this city and they have just returned from a wedding trip to South Texas. They are spending the week here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Castlebury of Wilbarger street.

Former Pastor Here.

Rev. H. M. Long, of Fort Worth, former pastor of the First Methodist church here, accompanied by his daughter, Miss Carrie Adele Long, is here on business. Miss Long is visiting friends.

Miss Annie Stagner who has been visiting Miss Nell Hollar, returned to her home at Abilene yesterday.



Fragrant and Savory

How about a nice juicy, golden brown Roast for dinner tomorrow? Delicious Roasts are just one of our specials for today.

Come to our shop or phone your grocer.

Sanitary Meat Market
North Main Street

It's a Satisfaction to own an Overland

Drive one and realize the difference.

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SCHOOL SUPPLIES

We have received a large shipment of school supplies of all kinds.

Send the children here for what they need.

PALACE DRUG STORE

The Faith Cafe

"AS GOOD AS THE NAME"

Bring Your Friends Here
For Your Dinner Sunday

We assure you that you will be served the best of food, properly prepared, and courteous service.

We make meal time a real pleasure for you.

The Faith Cafe

"AS GOOD AS THE NAME"

PIERCE FAMILY RETURN FROM TOUR OF WEST

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Pierce and daughter, Miss Helen Williams, accompanied by Mrs. Hall Pierce of Dallas, returned this week from an extended automobile tour of the West, which included stops at Denver, Cheyenne, Yellowstone National Park and Salt Lake City and many interesting side trips. They returned by the way of Santa Fe. Equipped with a trailer, which carried all necessary camping supplies, hotel accommodations did not bother them. They report a wonderful time.

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Electric Refrigerator
For the Home
WEST TEXAS ELECTRIC COMPANY—Phone 810

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GUARANTY FUND
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IMPREGNABLE VAULTS

THERE is no reason why you should keep your money about your home—in the mattress—under the carpet—buried in the cellar—subject to FIRE and THEFT.

"Safety First" "Safety Always"



**First Guaranty
State Bank**

"The Bank That Backs the Farmer"

Vernon Insurance Agency-- Writes All Kinds of Insurance in Best Companies
R. B. SHERRILL, Mgr.
Farmers State Bank Bldg.

That Spare Bedroom---Try a Want Ad

Dixon Dry Goods Company

"SHOPPING CENTER OF VERNON"

Get The Younger Generation Ready For "Prep"
School and College at Dixon's.

"Junior-Deb" Fashions for the Girl
FROCKS SUITS AND COATS

With the jauntiness of youth and the smartness that is the result of careful styling!

These have just that gay air, that slim grace of line which should mark all fashions for young girls—and they are so well designed as to achieve the acme of smartness in a simple, clever way. The range of selections is wide—replete with just the sort of clothes the "prep" school girl delights in.

Dresses Sizes 14, 16, 18—13, 15, and 17.
Coat Sizes 12 to 18 and 13 to 17.

PRICE RANGE OF DRESSES—
\$14.50 Up To \$49.50

PRICE RANGE OF COATS—
\$19.50 Up To \$89.50

SPECIAL SHIPMENT OF
WARDROBE TRUNKS
AND BAGS

Smart Luggage they will appreciate, the kind your girl and boy has been wanting, because they are aware of the prestige their luggage gives them.

The Boys of College and
"Prep" School Age Will
Find the Clothes and Furnishings He Likes Here

Smart suits in the double-breasted English type Coat—correct suits in the 2 button models that are favored by the young men—presented in the new fall shades—Price range

\$19.75 UP TO \$49.50

NEW FALL HATS AND CAPS
Correct styles in the leading fall shades—

\$1.00 TO \$8.50

Well tailored top Coats and Overcoats in the favorite loose hanging box coat effect—New fall shades, wonderful values at—

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School Luggage your boy wants. SWEATERS, BATH ROBES, DRESS SHIRTS, UNDERWEAR, SHEETS, PILLOW CASES, BLANKETS AND COMFORTS.

Let us outfit your boys and girls for home school or for those going away to college.

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"INDIVIDUAL SERVICE—STANDARD MERCHANDISE"